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IV. to control recruiting in British India for the service of Foreign States.

V. to invest the Assistant Commissioner in charge of the Kullu Sub-division of the Kángra District with certain appellate powers.

VI. to consolidate and amend the law relating to appeals to the Privy Council from decrees of the Civil Courts.

VII. to provide for the appointment of Municipal Committees in Towns in British Burma, and for other purposes.

VIII. to provide for the exercise of the powers hitherto exercised by the Lieutenant Governor and Board of Revenue of Bengal in the territories forming the Chief Commissionership of Assam.

IX. to consolidate and amend the law relating to European Vagrancy.

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ACT No. I OF 1874

PASSED BY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL

(Received the assent of the Governor General on the 10th February 1874).

REMIL'S STORE LIBRARY

An Act for the quieting of Titles depending on judgments delivered by certain Settlement Officers in the North-Western Provinces.

Preamble

WHEREAS, by Act XIV of 1863, section eight, the Local Government of the North-Western Provinces was empowered to invest any officer employed in making or revising settlements of the land-revenue with the powers of a Collector as described in Act X of 1859, for the decision of suits arising within the local limits of the jurisdiction assigned to such officer, of the nature mentioned in section twenty-three of the same Act, or in the said Act XIV of 1863, while such officer is so employed:

And whereas shortly after the passing of the said Act XIV of 1863, the Local Government determined that all Collectors, Assistant Collectors and Deputy Collectors at any time employed in making or revising settlements, should, during such employment, be invested with the powers described in section eight of the same Act, and after the said determination such officers have in fact exercised such powers from the date of their respective employments in the duties aforesaid, and large numbers of suits of the nature mentioned in the same section have been heard and decided by such officers notwithstanding that their employment commenced subsequently to the year 1863, and notwithstanding that the Local Government may not have expressed their intention to invest them with the said powers otherwise than by appointing them to such employment:

And

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And whereas it has recently been held that certain Deputy Collectors whose employment in settlement-work commenced subsequently to the twenty-first day of April 1863, have not been invested with the said powers:

And whereas, by Act X of 1859, section one hundred and fifty, it is enacted that all the powers vested in the Collector by the preceding sections of that Act may be exercised by any Deputy Collector in cases referred to him by a Collector; and in all cases without such reference, by any Deputy Collector placed in charge of any sub-division of a district:

And whereas, by section ten of Act XIV of 1863, it is enacted that if a suit for enhancement of rent be brought before any officer empowered under section eight of that Act to hear the same, such suit shall be heard and determined by such officer, notwithstanding that no notice of enhancement shall have been served under section thirteen of the said Act X of 1859 on the party from whom such enhanced rent is claimed: and that in such case the statement of claim should set forth the grounds on which such enhancement of rent is claimed:

And whereas, by Act XXII of 1872, it was enacted that all Deputy Collectors and all other persons theretofore or thereafter invested with all or some of the powers of Deputy Collectors for the purposes of Acts X of 1859 and XIV of 1863, should be deemed to have been or to be (as the case might be) Deputy Collectors in charge of sub-divisions of districts within the meaning of the same Acts, or Assistants to Collectors invested with the powers of Deputy Collectors in such charge, and it was also enacted that all suits preferred and applications made to, and orders made and acts done by, such Deputy Collectors and other persons in the exercise of such powers should be deemed to have been and to be as duly preferred, made and done as if the said Deputy Collectors and other persons had been Deputy Collectors in charge of sub-divisions of districts within the meaning of the same Acts:

And

And whereas, by force of the said Acts, all Deputy Collectors in the North-Western Provinces have, ever since Act X of 1859 came into force, been of like authority with Deputy Collectors in charge of sub-divisions, and, as such, have had jurisdiction to hear all suits of the nature mentioned in section twenty-three of that Act and in Act XIV of 1863, and all Collectors have had and have exercised very largely the power of referring to Deputy Collectors sub-ordinate to them cases brought in the first instance before themselves:

And whereas, since the passing of Act XXII of 1872, it has been held that a Deputy Collector not invested with powers under section eight of Act XIV of 1863, has not any jurisdiction to hear suits of the nature mentioned in section twenty-three of Act X of 1859:

And whereas it has also recently been held that the said Act XXII of 1872 has no operation in cases in which a decision has been delivered contrary to the true meaning of the said Acts X of 1859 and XIV of 1863, as declared in Act XXII of 1872, but prior to the passing of Act XXII of 1872:

And whereas, ever since the passing of Act XIV of 1863, officers invested with the powers of Collectors under section eight of that Act have been in the habit of exercising the said power conferred on Collectors by section one hundred and fifty of Act X of 1859, and of referring to Deputy Collectors employed as aforesaid suits of the nature mentioned in section eight of Act XIV of 1863 for the purpose of having such suits heard and decided by such Deputy Collectors, and great numbers of suits have been so heard and decided:

And whereas it has recently been held that officers engaged in making or revising settlements, and invested with the powers of Collectors under section eight of Act XIV of 1863, have not the power of referring suits to Deputy Collectors; and also that, if a suit for enhancement of rent be brought before such an officer, he is bound by section ten of Act XIV of 1863 to hear and determine it in person:

And

And whereas, by the effect of such holdings, great numbers of decisions in suits of the nature mentioned in section eight of Act XIV of 1863 have become open to question, and for the quieting of titles, and the avoidance of litigation, it is necessary that the validity of such decisions should be affirmed, and that the meaning of the said Acts should be declared:

And whereas it is apprehended that other objections may be made to the authority of officers who, either in the first instance or on appeal, have decided suits of the nature mentioned in Act XIV of 1863, and it is expedient that such decisions should not be impeached for want of authority in such officers:

And whereas it is believed that many decisions passed by officers engaged in making or revising settlements have, since the dates of the holdings aforesaid, been declared or treated by certain Appellate Courts as void for want of authority in such officers, and it is expedient that the parties concerned should not, by reason of such declaration or treatment, find it necessary or expedient to appeal from the decisions of such Courts;

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Powers of Deputy Collectors under Regulation IX of 1833

1. All officers who, since the twenty-first day of April 1863, have been employed in making or revising settlements, and who have legally been invested with, or have in fact exercised, the powers of Collector, Assistant Collector or Deputy Collector, have been, and are, invested with the powers described in section eight of Act XIV of 1863, during the term of such employment.

Power of Collectors to refer cases to Deputy Collectors

2. By section one hundred and fifty of Act X of 1859, it was intended, and has always been the law, that Collectors should refer to Deputy Collectors such of the cases brought before themselves as they think fit.

Act XIV of 1863, section 8, explained

3. By section eight of Act XIV of 1863, it was intended that when the officers therein mentioned have been invested with the powers therein mentioned, they should have, and it has always been the law that they have had, the whole, and not a portion only, of

of such powers, and in particular the power of reference conferred on Collectors by Act X of 1859, section one hundred and fifty.

Act XIV of 1863, section 10 explained

4. The meaning of section ten of Act XIV of 1863 was, and has always been, that in the suits therein mentioned the want of such notice as therein mentioned shall not be a bar to the progress of the suit, and not that the suits therein mentioned must be heard and decided by the same officer from the beginning to the end.

Suits heard by officers pursuant to the said Acts, to be deemed properly heard.

5. All suits heard and decided by any officers in pursuance of the said Acts and of the intentions of the said Local Government as herein explained, have been heard and decided by proper authority, and the decisions given in such suits are valid decisions subject only to such appeals as are by law provided.

Decisions of officers acting under said Acts in certain suits validated.

6. No decision made, whether in the first instance or on appeal, by any Collector, Assistant Collector, Deputy Collector or other officer purporting to act under the provisions of Act X of 1859 or Act XIV of 1863 in any suit of the nature mentioned in section twenty-three of Act X of 1859 or in Act XIV of 1863 shall be impugned or deprived of effect by reason of the objection that such officer did not possess the jurisdiction legally necessary for passing such decision; but all such decisions shall be dealt with by every Appellate Court as if they had been made by a tribunal possessing the authority to entertain and decide the suit.

Suits to be decided in accordance with this Act and Act XXII of 1872.

7. Every suit instituted, or question arising, under Act X of 1859 or Act XIV of 1863, which comes before any Court of Justice, shall be decided in accordance with this Act and in accordance with Act XXII of 1872, at whatever time such suit may have been commenced, or such question may have arisen, and at whatever time any decision may have been delivered affecting such suit or question.

Validation of orders and proceedings of Settlement Officers declared void on appeal.

8. Every decree or order of an Appellate Court made on or after the first day of January 1871, which has declared or treated any judicial order or proceeding of an officer employed in making or revising a settlement to be void for want of authority in such officer,

officer, is hereby declared to be itself void, and all such orders and proceedings of such officers shall be deemed to be as valid as if no such decree or order declaring them to be void for want of authority had been passed in appeal:

Provided that whenever the merits of the case constituted any portion of the grounds of appeal, and the appellant, who has succeeded on the ground of want of authority in the Court of first instance, desires to prosecute his appeal on the merits, and applies to the Appellate Court for that purpose within ninety days after the passing of this Act, the Appellate Court shall resume the hearing of the appeal and proceed to determine it on the merits:

Provided also that the provisions of this section shall not apply to any case in which the holder of a decree treated as invalid for want of authority as aforesaid has, before the passing of this Act, obtained a decree in a competent Court in another suit upon the same cause of action.

Presumption in favour of judicial and official acts

9. In construing the said Acts, and in deciding on the validity of judicial proceedings thereunder, all Judges and Courts of Justice shall have regard to the practice which has actually prevailed, and shall also, in the absence of evidence or express law to the contrary, presume that what purports to have been done by public authority has been rightly done.

Local extent
Commencement

10. This Act extends only to the territories under the government of the Lieutenant-Governor of the North-Western Provinces, and shall come into force at once.

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THE ADMINISTRATOR GENERAL'S ACT, 1874.

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ACT No. II OF 1874.

PASSED BY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

(Received the assent of the Governor General on the 10th day of February 1874).

An Act to consolidate and amend the law relating to the office and duties of Administrator General.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the law relating to the office and duties of Administrator General; It is hereby enacted as follows:— Preamble.

PART I.

PRELIMINARY.

1. This Act may be called "The Administrator General's Act, 1874:" Short title.

It extends to the whole of British India and, so far as regards British subjects of Her Majesty, to the dominions of Princes and States in India in alliance with Her Majesty; Local extent.

And it shall come into force at once. Commencement.

2. Act No. XXIV of 1867 (*to consolidate and amend the law relating to the office and duties of Administrator General*) and Act No. XIX *of* 1869 (*to facilitate administration to the estates of deceased British subjects in the Hyderabad Assigned Districts*) and Act No. V of 1870 (so far as it relates to the Administrator General) are hereby repealed. Repeal of Acts.

All things duly done under any of the enactments hereby repealed shall be considered as having been done under this Act.

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Interpretation-clause

3. In this Act—unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context—

"Presidency of Bengal."

"Presidency of Bengal" includes

(*a*) the territories for the time being respectively under the governments of the Lieutenant-Governors of Bengal, the North-Western Provinces and the Panjáb;

(*b*) the territories for the time being respectively under the administrations of the Chief Commissioners of Oudh, the Central Provinces, ~~British Burma,~~ Ajmer and Mairwára, Assam and the Andaman and Nicobar Islands;

(*c*) such of the dominions of Princes and States aforesaid as the Governor General in Council may, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, from time to time direct:

"Presidency of Madras."

"Presidency of Madras" includes

(*a*) the territories for the time being under the government of the Governor of Fort St. George in Council;

(*b*) such of the dominions aforesaid as the Governor General in Council may, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, from time to time direct;

(*c*) Coorg;

(*d*) Mysore;

"Presidency of Bombay."

"Presidency of Bombay" means

(*a*) the territories for the time being under the government of the Governor of Bombay in Council;

(*b*) such of the dominions aforesaid as the Governor General in Council may, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, from time to time direct;

(*c*) the Haidarábád Assigned Districts:

"Presidency Town."

"Presidency Town" means the town of Calcutta, Madras or Bombay, as the case may be:

"Government."

"Government" means the Governor General in Council, so far as the Act relates to the Presidency of Bengal; the person for the time being administering the executive government of the Presidency of Fort St. George, so far as the Act relates to the Presidency

Presidency of Madras; and the person for the time being administering the executive Government of the Presidency of Bombay, so far as the Act relates to the Presidency of Bombay:

"Letters of Administration" shall include any letters of administration, whether general or limited, or with a Will annexed, and letters *ad colligenda bona:* "Letters of Administration"

"Next-of-kin" includes a widower or widow of a deceased person, or any other person who, by law and according to the practice of the Courts, would be entitled to letters of administration in preference to a creditor or legatee of the deceased: "Next-of-kin"

"Officer" means a commissioned officer of Her Majesty's Army, or of Her Majesty's Indian Army: "Officer"

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PART II.

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5. Such officers shall be appointed and may be suspended or removed by the authorities hereinafter mentioned respectively; that is to say:— Appointment, suspension and removal of Administrators General.

The Administrator General of Bengal, by the Governor General in Council:

the Administrator General of Madras, by the Government of Fort St. George; and

the Administrator General of Bombay, by the Government of Bombay.

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Qualification of future and continuance of existing incumbents.

6. Any person hereafter appointed to the office of Administrator General or officiating Administrator General of any of the said Presidencies, shall be a member of the Bar of England or Ireland, or of the Faculty of Advocates in Scotland; but any person now holding such office shall continue to hold the same, subject to the provisions contained in the other sections of this Act.

Administrator General not an officer of High Court.

7. The Administrator General shall not be deemed in that capacity to be an officer of any High Court.

Probates, &c., granted by Supreme Courts to Ecclesiastical Registrars to have same effect as if granted to Administrator General.

8. All probates and letters of administration granted by any of the late Supreme Courts of Judicature to the Ecclesiastical Registrar of such Court in virtue of his office, shall have the same effect in all respects as to any act hereafter to be done or required to be done under this Act, as if they had been granted to the Administrator General.

No Administrator General to be Ecclesiastical Registrar.

Administrator General not to hold any other office without sanction of Government.

9. No person now holding the office of Administrator General, or hereafter to be appointed to such office in any of the said Presidencies, shall hold the office of Ecclesiastical Registrar; nor, without the express sanction of Government, any other office together with that of Administrator General:

Provided that the Administrator General of the Presidency may be appointed Official Trustee under Act No. XVII of 1864 *(to constitute an office of Official Trustee)*:

Provided also, that the Administrator General of Bengal may hold the office of Receiver of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William.

Penalty for trading

Exception.

10. It is hereby declared to be an offence punishable in manner provided by section one hundred and sixty-eight of the Indian Penal Code, for any Administrator General to trade or traffic for his own benefit, or for the benefit of any other person, unless so far as appears to him to be expedient for the due management of the estates which come into his charge under the provisions of this Act, and for the sole benefit of the several persons entitled to the proceeds

proceeds of such estates respectively; but this exception is not to be construed to alter the civil liabilities of the Administrator General as trustee of such estates.

Security to be given by Administrator General

11. Unless the Governor General in Council, or the Government, with the sanction of the Governor General in Council, otherwise orders, every Administrator General hereafter to be appointed shall give security to the Secretary of State for India for the due execution of his office, for one lákh of rupees by his own bond, and for another lákh of rupees, or for separate sums amounting together to one lákh of rupees by the deposit of Government securities, or by the joint and several bond or bonds of two or more sureties to be approved by Government, or partly by such deposit and partly by such bond or bonds:

Substitution of security or sureties.

Provided that every Administrator General may, with the consent of Government, substitute either of the said two last-mentioned kinds of security for another previously given for such last-mentioned lákh or any part of it;

and every Administrator General may, with the consent of Government, and shall from time to time when required by Government so to do, cause fresh sureties to be substituted for any of those previously bound, so far as the security relates to the due execution of his office for the time then to come.

No security nor oath to be required from Administrator General.

12. No Administrator General shall be required by any Court to enter into any administration bond, or to give other security to the Court, on the grant of any letters of administration to him in virtue of his office.

No Administrator General shall be required to verify, otherwise than by his signature, any petition presented by him under the provisions of this Act, and if the facts stated in any such petition are not within the Administrator General's own personal knowledge, the petition may be subscribed and verified by any person competent to make the verification.

Whoever makes a statement in any such petition which is false, and which he either knows or believes

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to be false or does not believe to be true, shall be deemed to have intentionally given false evidence in a stage of a judicial proceeding.

Appointment of officiating Administrator General.

13. Whenever any person holding the office of Administrator General obtains leave of absence, the Government may appoint some person to officiate as Administrator General, and such person, while so officiating, shall be subject to the same conditions and be bound by the same responsibilities as the Administrator General by any law for the time being in force, and he shall be deemed to be Administrator General for the time being under this Act, and shall be liable to give security under section eleven in like manner as if he had been appointed Administrator General.

PART III.

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(*a*).—*Grants of Letters of Administration and Probate to the Administrator General.*

As regards Administrator General, High Court at Presidency town to be deemed a Court of competent jurisdiction within meaning of Act X of 1865, sections 187 and 190.

14. So far as regards the Administrator General of any of the Presidencies of Bengal, Madras and Bombay, the High Court at the Presidency town shall be deemed to be a Court of competent jurisdiction within the meaning of sections one hundred and eighty-seven and one hundred and ninety of the Indian Succession Act, 1865, wheresoever within the Presidency the property to be comprised in the probate or letters of administration may be situate.

Administrator General entitled to letters of administration, unless granted to next-of-kin.

15. Any letters of administration, or letters *ad colligenda bona*, hereafter be granted by the High Court of Judicature at any Presidency town, shall be granted to the Administrator General of the Presidency, unless they are granted to the next-of-kin of the deceased.

Administrator General entitled in

The Administrator General of the Presidency shall be deemed by all the Courts in the Presidency to have

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a right to letters of administration in preference to that of any person merely on the ground of his being a creditor, a legatee other than an universal legatee, or a friend of the deceased.

preference to creditor, non-universal legatee or friend.

Parsi **16.** If any person, not being a Hindú, Muhammadan or Buddhist, or a person exempted under the Indian Succession Act, 1865, section three hundred and thirty-two, from the operation of that Act, shall have died, whether within any of the said Presidencies or not, and whether before or after the passing of this Act, and shall have left assets exceeding at the date of the death or within one year thereafter the value of one thousand rupees within any of the said Presidencies,

When administration of estates of persons other than Hindús, &c., is to be by Administrator General.

and if no person to whom the Court would have jurisdiction to commit administration of such assets has, within one month after his death, applied in such Presidency for probate of his Will, or for any letters of administration of his estate,

the Administrator General of the Presidency in which such assets are, shall, within a reasonable time after he has had notice of the death of such person, and of his having left such assets as aforesaid, take such proceedings as may be necessary to obtain from the High Court at the Presidency town, letters of administration to the effects of such person, either generally or with a Will annexed, as the case may require.

Whenever the Administrator General of the Presidency takes proceedings under this section, it shall be sufficient if the petition required by section two hundred and forty-six of the Indian Succession Act, 1865, states

(*a*) the time and place of the deceased's death to the best of the petitioner's knowledge or belief,

(*b*) that the deceased left some property within the Presidency as hereinbefore defined, and

(*c*) the amount or value of assets which are likely to come into the petitioner's hands.

Parsi **17.** Whenever any person, whether a Hindú, Muhammadan or Buddhist, or not, shall have died leaving assets within the local limits of the ordinary original civil

Power to direct Administrator General to apply for administration.

civil jurisdiction of the High Court at the Presidency town, it shall be lawful for the Court,

upon the application of any person interested in such assets, or in the due administration thereof, either as a creditor, legatee, next-of-kin or otherwise, or

upon the application of a friend of any minor so interested, or

upon the application of the Administrator General,

if the applicant satisfies the Court that danger is to be apprehended of the misappropriation, deterioration or waste of such assets unless letters of administration of the effects of such person are granted,

to make an order, upon such terms as to indemnifying the Administrator General against costs and other expenses as the Court thinks fit, directing the Administrator General to apply for letters of administration of the effects of such person:

Administration to effects of Hindús, &c., when granted under this section.

Costs of unnecessary application.

Provided that, in the case of an application being made under this section for letters of administration to the effects of a deceased Hindú, Muhammadan or Buddhist, or person exempted as aforesaid, the Court may refuse to grant letters of administration to any person, if it be satisfied that such grant is unnecessary for the protection of the assets, and in such case the Court shall make such order as to the costs of the application as it thinks just.

Power to enjoin Administrator General to collect and hold assets until right of succession or administration is ascertained.

18. Whenever any person, whether a Hindú, Muhammadan or Buddhist, or not, shall have died, whether before or after the passing of this Act, leaving assets within the local limits of the ordinary original civil jurisdiction of any of the said High Courts, and such Court is satisfied that danger is to be apprehended of the misappropriation, deterioration or waste of such property, before it can be ascertained who may be legally entitled to the succession to such property, or whether the Administrator General is entitled to letters of administration to such deceased person,

the Court may authorize and enjoin the Administrator General to collect and take possession of such property, and to hold or deposit or invest the same

same according to the orders and directions of the Court, and in default of any such orders or directions, according to the provisions of this Act so far as the same are applicable to such property;

Rate of commission payable in such case

and the Administrator General shall be entitled to a commission of one *per centum* upon the amount of all moveable assets collected or received by him in pursuance of such order, and also to reimburse himself for all payments made by him in respect of the assets which a private administrator of such assets might lawfully have made;

and in case letters of administration of any such property are afterwards granted to the Administrator General, the said commission of one *per centum* shall be deemed a part payment of the commission payable to the Administrator General under the letters of administration.

Any order of Court made under the provisions of this section, shall entitle the Administrator General to collect and to take possession of such property, and, if necessary, to maintian a suit for the recovery thereof.

Probate to be granted to executor appearing in the course of proceedings taken by Administrator General.

19. If in the course of proceedings to obtain letters of administration under the provisions of section sixteen or section seventeen,

any executor appointed by a Will of the deceased appears according to the practice of the Court and proves the Will and accepts the office of executor,

or if any person appears according to such practice and makes out his claim to letters of administration as next-of-kin of the deceased, and gives such security as is required of him by law or by the practice of the Court,

Costs of proceedings taken by Administrator General to be paid out of estate.

the Court shall grant probate of the Will or letters of administration accordingly, and shall award to the Administrator General his costs of the proceedings so taken by him, to be paid out of the estate as part of the testamentary or intestate expenses thereof.

If no executor or next-of-kin appear or give necessary security,

20. If no person appears according to the practice of the Court, and entitles himself to probate of a Will, or to a grant of letters of administration as next-of-kin of the deceased,

or

Administration to be granted to Administrator General.

or if the person who entitles himself to a grant of administration neglects to give such security as may be required of him by law or according to the practice of the Court,

the Court shall grant letters of administration to the Administrator General.

Administrator General in certain cases to secure and distribute the effects of soldiers.

21. The Administrator General shall, when duly authorized or required so to do by the Military Secretary to Government, secure and distribute the assets of the estate and effects of any officer, soldier, or other person subject to any Articles of War, in all cases in which such estate and effects do not exceed in the whole five hundred rupees, charging the estate with a commission of three *per centum* only.

Proviso.

It shall not be necessary for the Administrator General to take out letters of administration in cases referred to in this section: but he shall have the same powers with regard to all such assets as he would have had if he had taken out such letters.

Power to grant Administrator General letters limited to purpose of dealing with assets in accordance with Regimental Debts Act.

22. When the Administrator General applies for letters of administration to the effects of any officer, soldier or other person, subject to the Articles of War, the Court may grant to him letters of administration limited to the purpose of dealing with such effects in accordance with the provisions of the Regimental Debts Act, 1863, or any other law for the time being in force relating to the payment of regimental debts and the distribution of the effects of officers dying on service.

Administrator General not precluded from applying for letters in any case within one month after death.

23. Nothing in this Act is intended to preclude the Administrator General from applying to the Court for letters of administration in any case within the period of one month from the death of the deceased.

After revocation, letters of administration granted to Administrator General to be deemed

24. If any letters of administration granted to the Administrator General under the provisions of this Act, be revoked or recalled, the same shall, so far as regards the Administrator General and all persons acting under his authority in pursuance thereof, be deemed to have been only voidable; except as to any act

act done by any such Administrator General or other person as aforesaid, after notice of a Will or of any other fact which would render such letters void:

as to him to have been voidable only.

Exception.

Provided that no notice of a Will or of any other fact which would render any such letters void, shall affect the Administrator General or any person acting under his authority in pursuance of such letters, unless, within the period of one month from the time of giving such notice, proceedings be commenced to prove the Will, or to cause the letters to be revoked, nor unless such proceedings be prosecuted without unreasonable delay.

Proviso.

25. If any letters of administration granted under this Act be revoked upon the production and proof of a Will, all payments made or acts done by or under the authority of the Administrator General in pursuance of such letters of administration prior to the revocation thereof, which would have been valid under any letters of administration lawfully granted to him with such Will annexed, shall be deemed valid notwithstanding such revocation.

Validity of payments made by Administrator General prior to revocation of administration.

26. If an executor or next-of-kin of the deceased, who has not been personally served with a citation or who has not had notice thereof in time to appear pursuant thereto, establish to the satisfaction of the Court a claim to probate of a Will or to letters of administration in preference to the Administrator General, any letters of administration granted by virtue of this Act to the Administrator General may be re-called and revoked, and probate may be granted to such executor, or letters of administration granted to such other person as aforesaid:

Recall of Administrator General's administration, and grant of probate, &c., to executor or next-of-kin.

Provided that no letters of administration granted to the Administrator General shall be revoked or recalled for the cause aforesaid, except in cases in which a Will or codicil of the deceased is proved in the Presidency, unless the application for that purpose be made within six months after the grant to the Administrator General, and the Court be satisfied that there has been no unreasonable delay in making the application, or in transmitting the authority under which the application is made.

Time within which application to revoke such administration must be made.

27. If

Costs of obtaining administration, &c., may, on revocation, be ordered to be paid to Administrator General out of assets.

27. If any letters of administration granted to the Administrator General in pursuance of this Act be revoked, the Court may order the costs of obtaining such letters of administration, and the whole or any part of any commission which would otherwise have been payable under this Act, together with the costs of the Administrator General in any proceedings taken to obtain such revocation, to be paid to or retained by the Administrator General out of any assets belonging to the estate:

Provided that, in any such case, when the deceased has left a Will appointing an executor, and probate of the Will has been granted by any Court in the Presidency to such executor within three months after the death, or when the widow or next-of-kin has, within one month if resident within the Presidency, or within three months if resident beyond the Presidency, obtained from any such Court letters of administration to the estate and effects of the deceased, then and in either of such cases the Administrator General shall (without prejudice to the provisions contained in sections seventeen and eighteen) not be entitled to receive or retain any commission out of any assets belonging to such estate and situate within the jurisdiction of the Court by which probate or administration has been granted as last aforesaid.

Exclusion of creditors who have not proved, from assets with which a dividend is made.

28. Whenever the Administrator General declares a dividend among such creditors of the deceased as have proved their debts, and notifies the payment of such dividend by advertisement in the official Gazette, no creditor of the deceased who has not previously to such declaration and advertisement proved his debt, shall be entitled to participate as such in the assets wherewith such dividend is made.

After one year from grant of administration, distribution of assets by Administrator General to be allowed against all

Any payment or delivery of assets to any legatee or to any person entitled in distribution, which is made by an Administrator General after the expiration of one year from the grant of the letters of administration under which such payment or delivery is made, shall be allowed to the Administrator General as against all creditors and other claimants against the

the estate, of whose debts or claims he has not had notice before making such payment or delivery :

claims of which he had no notice.

Provided that nothing herein contained shall exempt the person to whom such payment or delivery is made, from any liability to refund to which he would otherwise be liable :

Person receiving payments liable to refund.

Provided also, that no notice of any debt or claim shall affect the Administrator General, unless proceedings to enforce the debt or claim are commenced within one month after the giving of such notice, and are prosecuted without unreasonable delay.

What to be notice of debt or claim.

29. All letters of administration granted to any Administrator General in virtue of his office shall be granted to him by his name of office,

Letters of administration to be granted to Administrator General by his name of office.

and all letters of administration heretofore granted to the Ecclesiastical Registrar or Administrator General officially, or granted to any Administrator General in virtue of his office, shall authorize the Administrator General for the time being of the same Presidency to act as administrator of the estate to which such letters relate.

Authority given by such letters.

30. Every probate granted to any Administrator General of a Will wherein he is named as executor by virtue of his office, shall be grahted to him by his name of office, and shall authorize the Administrator General for the time being of the same Presidency to act as executor of the estate to which such probate relates.

Grant of probate to Administrator General named as executor by virtue of his office.

31. Any private executor or administrator, may, with the previous consent of the Administrator General of the Presidency in which the property comprised in the probate or letters of administration is situate, by an instrument in writing under his hand, bearing a stamp of ten rupees and notified in the local Gazette, transfer all estates, effects and interests vested in him by virtue of such probate or letters to the Administrator General by his name of office;

Transfer by private executor or administrator of interest under probate or letters of administration.

and thereupon the transferor shall be exempt from all liability as such executor or administrator, as the

case

case may be, for any act or omission in respect of the said property after the date of the said transfer:

and the Administrator General for the time being shall have the rights and be subject to the liabilities which he would have had, and to which he would have been subject, if the probate or letters of administration, as the case may be, had been granted to him by his name of office at the date aforesaid.

Nothing herein contained shall be taken to exempt any such transferor from liability for acts and omissions in respect of the said property prior to the transfer.

Appointment of Official Trustee as trustee of assets carried to separate accounts

32. Whenever the Administrator General carries over assets to separate accounts in his books, he shall notify the fact in the local official Gazette; and he may, with the consent of the Official Trustee, and subject to such rules as the Governor General in Council may from time to time prescribe in this behalf, appoint the Official Trustee to be the trustee of such assets; and upon such appointment such assets shall vest in the Official Trustee and his successors in office, and be held by him and them upon the same trusts as the same assets were held immediately before such appointment. And for the purposes of Act No. XVII of 1864 such assets shall be deemed to have been vested in the Official Trustee under section ten of that Act.

Vesting of estates, &c., in successor of Administrator General.

33. All estates, effects and interests which, at the time of the death, resignation or removal from office of any Administrator General, are vested in him by virtue of such letters of administration, probates or transfers as aforesaid, shall, upon every such death, resignation or removal, cease to be vested in him, and shall vest in his successor in office immediately upon his appointment thereto.

All books, papers and documents kept by such Administrator General by virtue of his office or as such executor or transferee as aforesaid, shall be transferred to and vested in his successor in office.

(*b*).—*Suits by and against the Administrator General.*

Administrator General to sue and be

34. All suits and other proceedings commenced by or against any Administrator General in his representative

representative character, may be brought by or against him by his name of office,

sued in his name of office.

and no suit or other proceeding heretofore or hereafter commenced by or against any person as Administrator General, either alone or jointly with any other person, shall abate by reason of the death, resignation or removal from office of any such Administrator General, but the same may, by order of the Court, and upon such terms as to the service of notices or otherwise as the Court may direct, be continued by or against his successor immediately upon his appointment, in the same manner as if no such death, resignation or removal had occurred:

Suit not to abate by death, &c.

Provided that nothing hereinbefore contained shall render any such successor personally liable for any costs incurred prior to the order for continuing the suit against him.

Proviso as to costs.

35. If any suit be brought by a creditor against any Administrator General in his representative character, the plaintiff shall be liable to pay the costs of the suit down to and including the decree, unless upon proof by affidavit or otherwise that not less than one month previous to the institution of the suit he had applied in writing to the Administrator General, stating the amount and other particulars of the claim, and supporting the same by such evidence as, under the circumstances of the case, the Administrator General was reasonably entitled to require, and that the Administrator General had refused or neglected to register the claim according to the practice of his office.

Creditors' suits against Administrator General.

If in any such suit judgment is pronounced in favour of the plaintiff, he shall, nevertheless, be only entitled to payment out of the assets of the deceased equally and rateably with the other creditors.

(*c*).—*Grant of Certificates by the Administrator General.*

36. Whenever any person, not being a Hindú, Muhammadan or Buddhist, or exempted under the Indian Succession Act, 1865, section three hundred and thirty-two, from the operation of that Act, shall have

In what case Administrator General may grant certificate.

have died, whether within any of the said Presidencies or not, whether before or after the passing of this Act, and whether testate or intestate, and shall have left assets (whether moveable, or immoveable, or both) within any of the said Presidencies, and the Administrator General of such Presidency is satisfied that such assets do not exceed in the whole one thousand rupees in value, he may, after the lapse of one month from the death if he thinks fit, or before the lapse of the said month, if he is requested so to do by writing under the hand of the executor or the widow or other person entitled to administer the effects of the deceased, grant to any person claiming otherwise than as a creditor to be entitled to a share of such assets, certificates under his hand entitling the claimant to receive the property therein mentioned, belonging to the estate of the deceased, to a value not exceeding in the whole one thousand rupees:

No certificate to be granted where probate or administration taken out, or in respect of money in Government Savings Bank.

Provided that no certificate shall be granted under this section where probate of the deceased's Will or letters of administration of his effects has or have been granted, or in respect of any sum of money deposited in a Government Savings Bank.

Grant of certificate to creditors.

37. ~~If in cases falling~~ within section thirty-six, no person claiming otherwise than as a creditor to be entitled to a share of the effects of the deceased obtains, within three months, a certificate from the Administrator General under the same section, or letters of administration to the estate and effects of the deceased, the Administrator General may administer the estate and effects without letters of administration, in the same manner as if such letters had been ~~granted to him;~~

and if he neglect or refuse to take upon himself the administration of the estate and effects, he shall, upon the application of a creditor and upon being satisfied of his title, grant a certificate in the same manner as if such creditor were entitled to a share of the effects of the deceased,

and

and such certificate shall have the same effect as a certificate granted under the provisions of the same section, and shall be subject to all the provisions of this Act which are applicable to such certificate:

Provided that the Administrator General may, before granting such certificate, if he think fit, require the creditor to give reasonable security for the due administration of the estate and effects of the deceased.

Proviso.

38. The Administrator General shall not be bound to grant any such certificate, unless he be satisfied of the title of the claimant and of the value of the assets of the deceased, either by the oath or affirmation of the claimant (which oath or affirmation the Administrator General is hereby authorized to administer or take), or by such other evidence as he requires.

Administrator General not bound to grant certificate unless satisfied of claimant's title, &c.

39. A copy of any such certificate with a receipt annexed shall, when such copy and receipt are signed by the person to whom the certificate has been granted, be a full discharge for payment or delivery to him of the money or security for money therein mentioned, to the person paying or delivering the same:

Copy of certificate with receipt annexed, when signed by certificate-holder, to be a discharge.

but nothing in this Act shall preclude any executor or administrator of the deceased from recovering, from the person receiving the same, the amount remaining in his hands after deducting the amount of all debts or other demands lawfully paid or discharged by him in due course of administration.

Right of executor or administrator against certificate-holder.

And any creditor or claimant against the estate of the deceased shall be at liberty to recover his debt or claim out of the assets received by such person and remaining in his hands unadministered, in the same manner and to the same extent as if such person had obtained letters of administration to the estate of the deceased.

Right of creditor against assets in hands of certificate-holder.

40. The Administrator General shall not be bound to take out letters of administration to the estate of any deceased person on account of the effects in respect of which he grants any such certificate, but he may do so if he discover any fraud or misrepresentation made to him, or that the value of the estate exceeded one thousand rupees.

Administrator General not bound to take out administration on account of effects in respect of which he has granted certificate.

41. For

Fee for certificate

41 For every such certificate the Administrator General shall be entitled to charge a fee calculated after the rate of three rupees in the hundred on the amount mentioned in the certificate.

(41 A) *(d).—Expenses of the Administrator General's Establishment.*

Administrator General to defray expenses of establishment.

42. The Administrator General shall defray all the expenses of the establishment necessary for his office, and all other charges to which the said office is subject, except those for which express provision is made by this Act.

(e).—Accounts and Schedules.

Administrator General to keep separate account for each estate, to be open to inspection on payment of fee.

43 The Administrator General of each of the said Presidencies shall enter into books to be kept by him for that purpose, separate and distinct accounts of each estate, and of all such sums of money, bonds and other securities for money, goods, effects and things as come to his hands, or to the hands of any person employed by him or in trust for him under this Act; and likewise of all payments made by him on account of such estate, and of all debts due by or to the same, specifying the dates of such receipts and payments respectively.

Such books shall be kept in the Administrator General's office, and shall be open for the inspection of all such persons, practitioners in the said Courts and others, as may have occasion to inspect the same, at office hours, paying only such reasonable fee for the time being fixed by the Government and published in the official Gazette of the Presidency to which the same may relate.

Administrator General to furnish half-yearly schedules.

44 The Administrator General of each of the said Presidencies shall twice in every year, that is to say, on or before the first day of April, and on or before the first day of October, or on such other days as the Government, by any rules or orders to be published as aforesaid, may direct, exhibit and deliver, in the High Court at Calcutta, Madras or Bombay, as the case may be,

(*a*) a schedule showing the gross amount of all sums of money received or paid by him on account of

of each estate in his charge, and the balances, during the period of six months ending severally on the thirty-first day of December and thirtieth day of June next before the day of delivering such schedule,

(*b*) a list of all bonds or other securities received on account of each of the said estates during the same period,

(*c*) a schedule of all administrations whereof the final balances have been paid over to the persons entitled to the same, during the same period, specifying the amount of such balances and the persons to whom paid.

Schedules to to be filed and published

Such schedules shall be filed of record in such High Court, and shall, within fourteen days afterwards, be published in the official Gazette of the Presidency by the Administrator General,

and copies thereof in triplicate shall be delivered by such Administrator General to the Government, and shall be sent by such Government to the Secretary of State for India, in order that such Secretary may, if he think fit, order the same to be deposited at the India Office for public inspection, and cause notices to be published in the *London Gazette* and other leading newspapers, that such schedules are open to inspection there, or make such other orders respecting the same as he thinks fit.

PART IV.

Of the Audit of the Administrator General's Accounts.

Government to appoint auditors

45. The Government shall from time to time appoint auditors to examine the accounts of the Administrator General at the times of the delivery of the said schedules, and also at any other time when the Government thinks fit.

Auditors to examine schedule and report to Government

46. The auditors shall examine the schedules and accounts, and report to the Government—

(*a*) Whether they contain a full and true account of everything which ought to be inserted therein,

(*b*) whether

(*b*) whether the books which by this Act, or by any such general rules and orders as hereinafter mentioned, are directed to be kept by the Administrator General, have been duly and regularly kept, and

(*c*) whether the assets and securities have been duly kept and invested and deposited in the manner prescribed by this Act, or by any such rules and orders to be made as aforesaid.

Auditors to have power to summon witnesses and to call for books, &c.

47. Every auditor shall have power to summon as well the Administrator General as any other person whose presence he thinks necessary, to attend him from time to time; and to examine the Administrator General or other person if he thinks fit, on oath or affirmation to be by him administered; and to call for all books, papers, vouchers and documents, which appear to him to be necessary for the purposes of the said reference.

If the Administrator General or other person when summoned refuses, or, without reasonable cause, neglects to attend or to produce any book, paper, voucher or document so required, or attends and refuses to be sworn or make an affirmation, or refuses to be examined, the auditors shall certify such neglect or refusal in writing to the High Court at the Presidency town;

Penalty for non-attendance.

and every person so refusing or neglecting shall thereupon be punishable in like manner as if such refusal or neglect had been in contempt of the said High Court.

Costs of preparing schedules, &c., how to be paid

48. The costs and expenses of preparing and publishing the said schedules and copies thereof, and of every such reference and examination as aforesaid, shall be defrayed by all the estates to which such schedules or accounts relate.

Such costs and expenses, and the portion thereof to be contributed by each of the said estates, shall be ascertained and settled by the auditors, subject to the approval of the Government, and shall be paid out of the said estates accordingly by the Administrator General.

49. If

49. If upon any such reference and examination the auditors see reason to believe that the said schedules do not contain a true and correct account of the matters therein contained or which ought to be therein contained, or that the assets have not been duly kept and invested or deposited in the manner directed by this Act, or by any such rules and orders as aforesaid, or that the Administrator General has failed to comply with the provisions and directions of this Act or of any such rules and orders, they shall report accordingly to the Government.

Auditors to report specially to Government if accounts appear incorrect.

50. The Government may refer every such report as last aforesaid to the consideration of the Advocate General for the Presidency, who shall thereupon, if he think fit, proceed summarily against the defaulter or his executor or administrator in the High Court in the Presidency town, by petition for an account, or to compel obedience to this Act or to such rules and orders as aforesaid, or otherwise as he may think fit, in respect of all or any of the estates then or formerly under the administration of such defaulter;

Proceedings upon such report.

and the said Advocate General may exhibit interrogatories to the said Administrator General, executor or administrator (hereinafter called the defendant), who shall be bound to answer the same as fully as if a commission had been issued under the provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure for his examination upon the said interrogatories.

The Court shall have power upon any such petition to compel the attendance in Court of the defendant and any witnesses who may be thought necessary, and to examine them orally or otherwise as the said Court thinks fit, and to make and enforce such order or orders as the Court thinks just.

51. The costs, including those of the Advocate General and of the reference to him, if the same be directed by the Court to be paid, shall be defrayed either by the defendant or out of the estates rateably as the said Court directs; and whenever any costs are recovered from the defendant, the same shall be repaid to the estates by which they have been in the first instance

Costs of reference, &c., how to be defrayed.

instance contributed, and the Court may, if it think fit, order the defendant to receive his costs out of the said estates.

PART V.

OF THE COMMISSION OF THE ADMINISTRATOR GENERAL.

Commission to be received by Administrators General

52 The Administrator General of each of the said Presidencies, under any letters of administration granted to him in his official character, or under any probate granted to him of a Will wherein he is named as executor by virtue of his office; or under any probates or letters of administration vested in him by section eight or section thirty-one, shall be entitled to receive a commission at the following rates respectively, namely:—

The Administrator General of Bengal at the rate of three *per centum*, and the Administrators General of Madras and Bombay respectively at the rate of five *per centum*, upon the amount or value of the assets which they respectively collect and distribute in due course of administration.

Section 52 not to apply to property of officers and soldiers dying on service, coming to hands of Administrator General

53 The last preceding section shall not apply to cases in which the property of an officer or soldier dying on service comes to the hands of the Administrator General of any of the said Presidencies, under the ninth or the twelfth section of the Statute called "The Regimental Debts' Act, 1863;"

Administrator General entitled to a commission of only three per cent on gross amount of such property.

and such Administrator General shall not take a percentage on any such property exceeding three *per centum* on the gross amount coming to his hands after the passing of the Administrator General's Act, 1865, if preferential charges as defined by the fourth section of the said Statute have been previously paid, or on the gross amount remaining in his hands after payment by him of such charges, as the case may be.

What expenses, &c., commission is to cover

54. The Administrator General shall be entitled to reimburse himself for any payments made by him in respect of any estate in his charge, which a private administrator of such estate might have lawfully

lawfully made; but save as aforesaid, the commission to which the Administrator General of each of the said three Presidencies shall be entitled is intended to cover, not merely the expense and trouble of collecting the assets, but also his trouble and responsibility in distributing them in due course of administration.

How payable.

It is therefore enacted that one-half of such commission shall be payable to and retained by such Administrator General upon the collection of the assets, and the other half thereof shall be payable to the Administrator General who distributes any assets in the due course of administration, and may be retained by him upon such distribution.

Commission retained to be deemed a distribution.

The amount of the commission lawfully retained by an Administrator General upon the distribution of assets, shall be deemed a distribution in the due course of administration within the meaning of this Act.

Explanation: The carrying of assets to separate accounts in the books of the Administrator General notified as hereinbefore provided, and the transfer of assets to the Official Trustee, shall each be deemed to be a distribution within the meaning of this section.

Commission of the Administrator General of Bengal may be raised and again reduced

55. The Governor General in Council may from time to time order the rate of commission hereinbefore authorized to be received by the Administrator General of Bengal to be raised to any rate not exceeding five *per centum* upon the amount or value of the assets which he collects and distributes in due course of administration and again to be reduced.

Commission of the Administrators General of Madras and Bombay may be reduced and again raised

The Governments of the Presidencies of Fort St. George and Bombay respectively may, with the sanction of the Governor General in Council, from time to time order the aforesaid rate of commission hereby authorized to be received by the Administrators General of Madras and Bombay respectively to be reduced and again to be raised:

Proviso.

Provided that the commission so to be received shall not at any time exceed five *per centum* of the assets collected, and that no person now holding the office

office of Administrator General of Bengal, Madras or Bombay shall, by any such order, be deprived of the right to receive and retain, for his own use, a commission at the rate of three *per centum* in respect of all assets collected and actually administered by him.

Commission not to be charged by executor or administrator other than the Administrator General

56. No person other that the Administrator General acting officially shall receive or retain any commission or agency charges for anything done as executor or administrator under any probate or letters of administration, or letters *ad colligenda bona*, which have been granted by the Supreme Court or High Court at Fort William in Bengal since the passing of Act No. VII of 1849 *(for the appointment of an Administrator General in Bengal)*, or by either of the Supreme or High Courts at Madras and Bombay since the passing of Act No. II of 1850 (*to amend and extend to Madras and Bombay Act No. VII of* 1849), or which have been or shall be granted by any Court of competent jurisdiction within the meaning of sections one hundred and eighty-seven and one hundred and ninety of the Indian Succession Act, 1865;

Bequest in favour of executors not affected

but this enactment shall not prevent any executor or other person from having the benefit of any legacy bequeathed to him in his character of executor, or by way of commission or otherwise.

PART VI.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Power to make rules

57. The Government may from time to time make rules consistent with the provisions of this Act,

For custody of assets

(*a*) for the safe custody of the assets and securities which come to the hands or possession of the Administrator General.

For remittance of money

(*b*) for the remittance to the India Office of all sums of money payable or belonging to persons resident in Europe, or, in other cases where such remittance are required,

(*c*) generally

(*c*) generally for the guidance of the Administrator General in the discharge of his duties; For guidance of Administrator General.

and may by such rules amongst other things direct what books, accounts and statements, in addition to those mentioned in this Act, shall be kept by the Administrator General, and in what form the same shall be kept, and what entries the same shall contain, and where the same shall be kept, and where and how the assets and securities belonging to the estates to be administered by such Administrator General shall be kept and invested or deposited pending the administration thereof, and how and at what rate or rates of exchange any remittances thereof shall be made.

Unless any such rules are made and published, the rules now in force in each of the said Presidencies, so far as the same are not inconsistent with this Act, shall be of the same force and effect as if the same had been made and published hereunder. Proviso as to rules now in force.

58. Such rules shall be published in the *Gazette of India*, the *Fort St. George Gazette*, or the *Bombay Government Gazette*, as the case may be, and the several Administrators General shall obey and fulfil the same, and the same shall be a full authority and indemnity for all persons acting in pursuance thereof. Publication of new rules.

59. The Governor General in Council may from time to time, either by general rule, or by special order in a particular case, decide any question as to the time at which any commission accruing to the Administrator General in his official capacity shall be deemed to have been payable; and such decision shall bind every Administrator General and the estates held by him in his official capacity. Power to decide when commission shall be deemed payable.

60. Any order made under this Act by any Court shall have the same effect and be executed in the same manner as a decree. Orders of Court to be equivalent to decrees.

61. Whoever, having been sworn or having taken an affirmation under this Act, makes upon any examination authorized by this Act, a statement which is false, and which he either knows or believes False evidence.

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to be false or does not believe to be true, shall be deemed to have intentionally given false evidence in a stage of a judicial proceeding.

Assets unclaimed for fifteen years to be transferred to Government.

62. All assets in the official charge of the Administrator General of any of the said Presidencies, and appearing from the official books and accounts of the Ecclesiastical Registrar and of the Administrator General of any of those Presidencies, or from the official books and accounts of any of those officers, to have been in official custody for a period of fifteen years or upwards without any claim thereto having been made and allowed, shall be transferred and paid to the Comptroller General of Accounts or to the Accountant General to the Government of Fort St. George or Bombay, as the case may be, and be carried to the account and credit of the Government of India for the general purposes of government;

and the receipt of the said Comptroller General or Accountant General, as the case may be, shall be a full indemnity and discharge to the said Administrator General for any such transfer or payment:

Proviso.

Provided that this Act shall not authorize the transfer or payment of any such proceeds as aforesaid, pending any suit heretofore or hereafter instituted in respect thereof.

Mode of proceeding by claimant to recover principal money so transferred.

63. If any claim be hereafter made to any part of the securities, monies or proceeds carried to the account and credit of the Government of India under the provisions of this Act, and if such claim be established to the satisfaction of the Comptroller General or the Accountant General to the Government of Fort St. George or Bombay, as the case may be, the Government of India shall pay to the claimant the amount of the principal so carried to its account and credit or so much thereof as appears to be due to the claimant.

If the claim be not established to the satisfaction of the said Comptroller General or Accountant General, as the case may be, the claimant may apply by petition to the High Court at the Presidency town against the Secretary of State for India, and after taking evidence either orally or on affidavit in a summary

summary way as the Court thinks fit, the Court shall make such order on the petition for the payment of such portion of the said principal sum as justice requires, and such order shall be binding on all parties to the suit,

and the Court may direct by whom the whole or any part of the costs of each party shall be paid.

64. Whenever any person, other than a Hindú, Muhammadan or Buddhist or a person exempted under the Indian Succession Act, 1865, section three hundred and thirty-two, from the operation of that Act, dies leaving assets within the limits of the jurisdiction of a District Judge, the District Judge shall report the circumstance without delay to the Administrator General of the Presidency, stating the following particulars so far as they may be known to him :—

District Judge in certain cases to take charge of property of deceased persons, and to report to Administrator General

(*a*) the amount and nature of the assets,

(*b*) whether or not the deceased left a Will, and, if so, in whose custody it is,

and, on the lapse of one month from the date of the death,

(*c*) whether or not any one has applied for probate of the Will of the deceased or letters of administration to his effects.

The District Judge shall retain the property under his charge, or appoint an officer under the provisions of the Indian Succession Act, 1865, section two hundred and thirty-nine, to take and keep possession of the same until the Administrator General has obtained letters of administration, or until some other person has obtained such letters or a certificate from the Administrator General under the provisions of this Act, when the property shall be delivered over to the person obtaining such letters of administration or certificate, or, in the event of a Will being discovered, to the person who may obtain probate of the Will.

65. Nothing in this Act is intended to require the Administrator General to take proceedings to obtain letters of administration to the estate or effects of any officer or soldier or other person subject to

Act not to require administration of estates of soldiers, unless

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Administrator General authorized by Military Secretary or Committee of Adjustment.

any Articles of War, unless when the Administrator General is duly authorized or required so to do by the Military Secretary to Government, or by a Committee of Adjustment or other officers or persons acting under any law for the time being in force relating to the payment of regimental debts;

nor is anything in this Act contained intended to interfere with or alter the provisions of any Act of Parliament for regulating the payment of regimental debts, and the distribution of the effects of officers and soldiers dying in the service of Her Majesty in India, or of any Articles of War.

Indian Succession Act and Indian Companies' Act not to affect Administrator General.

66. Nothing contained in the Indian Succession Act, 1865, or the Indian Companies' Act, 1866, shall be taken to supersede or affect the rights, duties and privileges of the Administrators General and officiating Administrators General of Bengal, Madras and Bombay respectively.

Saving of provisions of Presidency Police Acts as to petty estates.

And nothing contained in the Indian Succession Act, 1865, or in this Act, or in the said Act No. XXIV of 1867, shall be deemed to affect, or to have affected, any provisions for the time being in force relating to the moveable property under two hundred rupees in value of persons dying intestate within any of the Presidency Towns, which shall be or has been taken charge of by the Police for the purpose of safe custody.

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ACT No. III OF 1874.

PASSED BY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

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An Act to explain and amend the law relating to certain Married Women, and for other purposes.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make such provision as hereinafter appears for the enjoyment of wages and earnings by women married before the first day of January 1866, and for insurances on lives by persons married before or after that day:

And whereas by the Indian Succession Act, 1865, section four, it is enacted that no person shall by marriage acquire any interest in the property of the person whom he or she marries, nor become incapable of doing any act in respect of his or her own property, which he or she could have done, if unmarried:

And whereas by force of the said Act all women to whose marriages it applies are absolute owners of all property vested in, or acquired by, them, and their husbands do not by their marriage acquire any interest in such property, but the said Act does not protect such husbands from liabilities on account of the debts of their wives contracted before marriage, and does not expressly provide for the enforcement of claims by or against such wives;

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

I.—Preliminary.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Married Women's Property Act, 1874:"

Extent and application.

2. It extends to the whole of British India, and, so far as regards subjects of Her Majesty, to the dominions of Princes and States in India in alliance with Her Majesty.

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But nothing herein contained applies to any married woman who at the time of her marriage professed the Hindú, Muhammadan, Buddhist, Síkh or Jaina religion, or whose husband, at the time of such marriage, professed any of those religions.

And the Governor General in Council may from time to time, by order, either retrospectively from the passing of this Act or prospectively, exempt from the operation of all or any of the provisions of this Act the members of any race, sect or tribe, or part of a race, sect or tribe, to whom he may consider it impossible or inexpedient to apply such provisions.

The Governor General in Council may also revoke any such order, but not so that the revocation shall have any retrospective effect.

All orders and revocations under this section shall be published in the *Gazette of India.*

The fourth section of the said Indian Succession Act shall not apply, and shall be deemed never to have applied, to any marriage one or both of the parties to which professed at the time of the marriage, the Hindú, Muhammadan, Buddhist, Síkh or Jaina religion.

Commencement.

3. This Act shall come into force on the passing thereof.

II.—Married Women's wages and earnings.

Married women's earnings to be their separate property.

4. The wages and earnings of any married woman acquired or gained by her after the passing of this Act, in any employment, occupation or trade carried on by her and not by her husband,

and also any money or other property so acquired by her through the exercise of any literary, artistic or scientific skill,

and all savings from and investments of such wages, earnings and property,

shall be deemed to be her separate property, and her receipts alone shall be good discharges for such wages, earnings and property.

III.—Insurances

III.—Insurances by Wives and Husbands.

5. Any married woman may effect a policy of insurance on her own behalf and independently of her husband; and the same and all benefit thereof, if expressed on the face of it to be so effected, shall enure as her separate property, and the contract evidenced by such policy shall be as valid as if made with an unmarried woman.

Married woman may effect policy of insurance.

6. A policy of insurance effected by any married man on his own life, and expressed on the face of it to be for the benefit of his wife, or of his wife and children, or any of them, shall enure and be deemed to be a trust for the benefit of his wife, or of his wife and children, or any of them, according to the interest so expressed, and shall not, so long as any object of the trust remains, be subject to the control of the husband, or to his creditors, or form part of his estate.

Insurance by husband for benefit of wife

When the sum secured by the policy becomes payable, it shall, unless special trustees are duly appointed to receive and hold the same, be paid to the Official Trustee of the Presidency in which the office at which the insurance was effected is situate, and shall be received and held by him upon the trusts expressed in the policy, or such of them as are then existing.

And in reference to such sum he shall stand in the same position in all respects as if he had been duly appointed trustee thereof by a High Court, under Act No. XVII of 1864 (*to constitute an Office of Official Trustee*), section ten.

Nothing herein contained shall operate to destroy or impede the right of any creditor to be paid out of the proceeds of any policy of assurance which may have been effected with intent to defraud creditors.

IV.—Legal proceedings by and against Married Women.

7. A married woman may maintain a suit in her own name for the recovery of property of any description which, by force of the said Indian Succession Act, 1865, or of this Act, is her separate property; and

Married women may take legal proceedings.

and she shall have, in her own name, the same remedies, both civil and criminal, against all persons, for the protection and security of such property, as if she were unmarried, and she shall be liable to such suits, processes and orders in respect of such property as she would be liable to if she were unmarried.

Wife's liability for postnuptial debts

8 If a married woman (whether married before or after the first day of January 1866) possesses separate property, and if any person enters into a contract with her with reference to such property, or on the faith that her obligation arising out of such contract will be satisfied out of her separate property, such person shall be entitled to sue her, and, to the extent of her separate property, to recover against her whatever he might have recovered in such suit had she been unmarried at the date of the contract and continued unmarried at the execution of the decree:

Provided that nothing herein contained shall affect the liability of a husband for debts contracted by his wife's agency, express or implied, or render a married woman liable to arrest or to imprisonment in execution of a decree.

V.—Husband's liability for Wife's debts.

Husband not liable for wife's antenuptial debts

9. A husband married after the thirty-first day of December 1865, shall not by reason only of such marriage be liable to the debts of his wife contracted before marriage, but the wife shall be liable to be sued for, and shall, to the extent of her separate property, be liable to satisfy such debts as if she had continued unmarried:

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Provided that nothing contained in this section shall ~~affect any suit instituted before the passing of this Act, nor~~ invalidate any contract into which a husband may, before the passing of this Act, have entered in consideration of his wife's antenuptial debts.

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ACT No. IV of 1874.

PASSED BY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

(Received the assent of the Governor General on the 24th February 1874).

An Act to control recruiting in British India for the service of Foreign States.

WHEREAS it is expedient that the Governor General in Council should exercise full control over recruiting in British India for the service of Foreign States; It is hereby enacted as follows :— Preamble.

1. This Act may be called "The Foreign Recruiting Act, 1874": Short title.

It extends to the whole of British India; Local extent.

And it shall come into force on the passing thereof. Commencement.

2. In this Act— Interpretation-clause.

"Foreign State" includes any person or persons exercising or assuming to exercise the powers of Government in or over any country, colony, province, or people beyond the limits of British India. "Foreign State."

3. If any person is, within the limits of British India, obtaining or attempting to obtain recruits for the service of any Foreign State in any capacity, the Governor General in Council may, by order in writing signed by a Secretary to the Government of India, either prohibit such person from so doing, or permit him to do so subject to any conditions which the Governor General in Council thinks fit to impose. Power to prohibit or permit recruiting.

4. The Governor General in Council may from time to time, by general order notified in the *Gazette of India*, either prohibit recruiting for the service of any Foreign State, or impose upon such recruiting any conditions which he thinks fit. Power to impose conditions.

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Power to rescind or vary orders.

5. The Governor General in Council may rescind or vary any order made under this Act in such manner as he thinks fit.

Offences.

6. Whoever, in violation of the prohibition of the Governor General in Council, or of any condition subject to which permission to recruit may have been accorded,

(*a*) induces or attempts to induce any person to accept or agree to accept or to proceed to any place with a view to obtaining any commission or employment in the service of any Foreign State, or

(*b*) knowingly aids in the engagement of any person so induced, by forwarding or conveying him or by advancing money or in any other way whatever,

shall be liable to imprisonment for a term which may extend to seven years, or to fine to such amount as the Court thinks fit, or to both.

Place of trial.

7. Any offence against this Act may be enquired into and tried, as well in any district in which the person accused may be found, as in any district in which it might be enquired into and tried under the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

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ACT No. V of 1874.

PASSED BY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

(Received the assent of the Governor General on the 10th March 1874).

An Act to invest the Assistant Commissioner in charge of the Kullu Sub-division of the Kángra District with certain appellate powers.

WHEREAS the Assistant Commissioner in charge of the Kullu Sub-division of the Kángra District was invested with certain appellate powers in civil cases by Act No. IV of 1870; and whereas the period for which the said Act was to continue in force, has now expired, and it is expedient to repeal the said Act and to re-enact it without prescribing any period for its continuance; It is hereby enacted as follows:— Preamble

1. Act No. IV of 1870 *(for investing the Assistant Commissioner in charge of the Kullu Sub-division of the Kángra District with certain appellate powers)* is repealed. Repeal of Act No. IV of 1870.

2. Notwithstanding anything contained in Act No. XIX of 1865 *(to define the jurisdiction of the Courts of Judicature of the Panjáb and its Dependencies)* the Assistant Commissioner or other officer for the time being in charge of the parganas of Kullu, Seoráj, Lahoul and Spití, commonly called the Kullu Sub-division of the Kángra District, may hear appeals in civil cases from the decisions and orders of the Tahsíldár of Sultánpúr, the Tahsíldár of Plach, the Négi of Lahoul and the Nono of Spití. Assistant Commissioner of Kullu may hear appeals.

3. An appeal shall lie from the decisions and orders of such Assistant Commissioner or other officer as aforesaid, to the Commissioner of the Division, in like manner as though such decisions or orders had been Appeal from Assistant Commissioner's orders.

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been given by the Deputy Commissioner of the District; and the provisions of Act No. IX of 1873 *(to prolong the law relating to Appeals and Reviews of Judgment in the Panjáb)* with reference to the Deputy Commissioner, shall be held to apply to such Assistant Commissioner or other officer as aforesaid.

Commencement of Act.

4. This Act shall come into operation on the first day of April 1874, and shall apply to all cases pending or liable to appeal in the Courts of the Tahsíldár of Sultánpúr, the Tahsíldár of Plach, the Négí of Lahoul, and the Nono of Spití on that date.

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ACT No VI OF 1874.

PASSED BY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

(Received the assent of the Governor General on the 24th March 1874).

An Act to consolidate and amend the law relating to appeals to the Privy Council from decrees of the Civil Courts.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the law regulating the admission of appeals to Her Majesty in Council from certain judgments, decrees and orders of the Civil Courts; It is hereby enacted as follows :— Preamble

I.—PRELIMINARY.

1. This Act may be called "The Privy Council Appeals Act, 1874." Short title

It extends to the whole of British India; but it does not apply to any matter of criminal, or admiralty, or vice-admiralty, jurisdiction: nor to appeals from orders and decrees of Prize-courts; Extent

And it shall come into force on the passing thereof. Commencement

2. The enactments specified in the schedule hereto annexed are repealed to the extent mentioned in the third column thereof. Repeal of enactments

3. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context, the expression "decree" includes also judgment and order. 'Decree defined

II.—ADMISSION OF APPEALS.

4. Subject to such rules as may, from time to time, be made by Her Majesty in Council regarding appeals from When appeals lie to Queen in Council

from the Courts of British India, and to the provisions hereinafter contained—

an appeal shall lie to Her Majesty in Council,

(*a*) from any final decree passed on appeal by a High Court or other Court of final appellate jurisdiction,

(*b*) from any final decree passed by a High Court in the exercise of original civil jurisdiction, and

(*c*) from any decree, when the case, as hereinafter provided, is certified to be a fit one for appeal to Her Majesty in Council.

Value of subject-matter

5. In each of the cases mentioned in clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of section four,

the amount or value of the subject-matter of the suit in the Court of first instance must be ten thousand rupees or upwards, and the amount or value of the matter in dispute on appeal to Her Majesty in Council must be the same sum or upwards,

or the decree must involve, directly or indirectly, some claim or question to, or respecting, property of like amount or value,

and where the decree appealed from affirms the decision of the Court immediately below the Court passing such decree, the appeal must involve some substantial question of law.

Bar of certain appeals

6. Notwithstanding anything contained in section four,—

no appeal shall lie to Her Majesty in Council from the judgment of one Judge of a High Court established under the twenty-fourth and twenty-fifth of Victoria, chapter one hundred and four, or of one Judge of a Division Court, or of two or more Judges of such High Court, or of a Division Court constituted by two or more Judges of such High Court, wherever such Judges are equally divided in opinion, and do not amount in number to a majority of the whole of the Judges of the High Court at the time being;

and no appeal shall lie to Her Majesty in Council from any decree which, under Act No. XXIII of 1861, section twenty-seven, is final.

7 Whoever

7. Whoever desires to appeal under this Act to Her Majesty in Council must apply by petition to the Court whose decree is complained of.

Application to Court whose decree is complained of.

8. Such application must ordinarily be made within six months from the date of such decree.

Time within which application must be made

But if that period expires when the Court is closed, the application may be made on the day that the Court re-opens.

9. Every petition under section seven must state the grounds of appeal, and pray for a certificate, either that as regards amount or value and nature, the case fulfils the requirements of section five, or that it is otherwise a fit one for appeal to Her Majesty in Council.

Certificate as to value or fitness

Upon receipt of such petition, the Court may direct notice to be served on the opposite party to show cause why the said certificate should not be granted.

10. If such certificate be refused, the petition shall be dismissed:

Refusal of certificate

Provided that, if the decree complained of be a final decree passed by a Court other than a High Court, the order refusing the certificate shall be appealable within thirty days from the date of the order, to the High Court to which the former Court is subordinate.

11. If the certificate be granted, the applicant shall, within six months from the date of the decree complained of, or within six weeks from the grant of the certificate, whichever is the later date,

Security and deposit required on grant of certificate

(*a*) give security for the costs of the respondent, and

(*b*) deposit the amount required to defray the expense of translating, transcribing, indexing, and transmitting to Her Majesty in Council a correct copy of the whole record of the suit, except

(1) formal documents directed to be excluded by any order of Her Majesty in Council in force for the time being;

(2) papers which the parties agree to exclude;

(3) accounts,

(3) accounts, or portions of accounts, which the officer empowered by the Court for that purpose considers unnecessary, and which the parties have not specifically asked to be included; and

(4) such other documents as the High Court may direct to be excluded;

and when the applicant prefers to print in India the copy of the record, except as aforesaid, he shall also, within the time mentioned in the first clause of this section, deposit the amount required to defray the expense of printing such copy.

Admission of appeal and procedure thereon.

12. When such security has been completed and deposit made to the satisfaction of the Court, the Court may

(*a*) declare the appeal admitted, and

(*b*) give notice thereof to the respondent,

and shall then

(*c*) transmit to Her Majesty in Council, under the seal of the Court, a correct copy of the said record, except as aforesaid, and

(*d*) give to either party one or more authenticated copies of any of the papers in the suit on his applying therefor and paying the reasonable expenses incurred in preparing them.

Revocation of acceptance of security.

13. At any time before the admission of the appeal, the Court may, upon cause shown, revoke the acceptance of any such security, and make further directions thereon.

Power to order further security or payment.

14. If at any time after the admission of the appeal, but before the transmission of the copy of the record, except as aforesaid, to Her Majesty in Council, such security appears inadequate,

or further payment is required for the purpose of translating, transcribing, printing, indexing, or transmitting the copy of the record, except as aforesaid,

the Court may order the appellant to furnish, within a time to be fixed by the Court, other and sufficient

sufficient security, or to make, within like time, the required payment.

Failure to comply with order.

15. If the appellant fail to comply with such order, the proceedings shall be stayed,

and the appeal shall not proceed without an order in this behalf of Her Majesty in Council,

and in the meantime execution of the decree appealed against shall not be stayed.

Refund of balance of deposit

16. When the copy of the record, except as aforesaid, has been transmitted to Her Majesty in Council, the appellant may obtain a refund of the balance, if any, of the amount which he has deposited under section eleven.

III.—Proceedings pending Appeals.

Powers of Court pending appeal.

17. Notwithstanding the admission of any appeal under this Act, the decree appealed against shall be unconditionally enforced; unless the Court admitting the appeal otherwise directs.

But the Court may, if it think fit, on any special cause shown by any party interested in the suit, or otherwise appearing to the Court—

(*a*) impound any moveable property in dispute, or any part thereof, or

(*b*) allow the decree appealed against to be enforced, taking such security from the respondent as the Court thinks fit for the due performance of any order which Her Majesty in Council may make on the appeal, or

(*c*) stay the execution of the decree appealed against, taking such security from the appellant as the Court thinks fit for the due performance of the decree appealed against, or of any order which Her Majesty in Council may make on the appeal, or

(*d*) place any party seeking the assistance of the Court under such conditions, or give such other direction respecting the subject-matter of the appeal, as it thinks fit.

18. If

Increase of security found inadequate.

18. If at any time during the pendency of the appeal the security so furnished by either party appears inadequate, the Court may, on the application of the other party, require further security.

In default of such further security being furnished as required by the Court, if the original security was furnished by the appellant, the Court may, on the application of the respondent, issue execution of the decree appealed against as if the appellant had furnished no such security,

And if the original security was furnished by the respondent, the Court shall, so far as may be practicable, stay all further execution of the decree, and restore the parties to the position in which they respectively were when the security which appears inadequate was furnished, or give such direction respecting the subject-matter of the appeal as it thinks fit.

IV.—Execution of Orders of Her Majesty in Council.

Procedure to enforce orders of Queen in Council.

19. Whoever desires to enforce or to obtain execution of any order of Her Majesty in Council shall apply by petition, accompanied by a certified copy of the decree or order made in appeal and sought to be enforced or executed, to the Court from which the appeal to Her Majesty was preferred.

Such Court shall transmit the order of Her Majesty to the Court which made the first decree appealed from, or to such other Court as Her Majesty by her said order may direct, and shall (upon the application of either party) give such directions as may be required for the enforcement or execution of the same; and the Court to which the said order is so transmitted shall enforce or execute it accordingly, in the manner and according to the rules applicable to the execution of its original decrees.

Appeal against order relating to execution.

20. The orders made by the Court which enforces or executes the order of Her Majesty in Council relating to such enforcement or execution, shall be appealable in the same manner and subject to the same

same rules as the orders of such Court relating to the enforcement or execution of its own decrees.

21. To the first column of No. 169 of the second schedule annexed to the Indian Limitation Act, 1871, the following words shall be added (that is to say), "or any order of Her Majesty in Council." Amendment of Act IX of 1871, schedule II. No 169

V.—MISCELLANEOUS.

22 The High Court may, from time to time, make general rules consistent with this Act to regulate— Power to make rules

(*a*) the service of notices under section nine,

(*b*) the grant or refusal of certificates, under sections ten and eleven, by Courts of final appellate jurisdiction subordinate to the High Court,

(*c*) the amount and nature of the security required under sections eleven, fourteen and eighteen,

(*d*) the testing of such security,

(*e*) the estimate of the cost of transcribing the record,

(*f*) the preparation, examination and certifying of such transcript,

(*g*) the revision and authentication of translations,

(*h*) the preparation of indices to transcripts of records, and of lists of the papers not included therein,

and all other matters connected with the enforcement of this Act.

All such rules shall be published in the local official Gazette, and shall thereupon have the force of law in the High Court and the Courts of final appellate jurisdiction subordinate thereto Publication of rules

All rules heretofore made and published by any High Court relating to appeals to Her Majesty in Council and in force immediately before the passing of this Act, shall, so far as they are consistent with this Act, be deemed to have been made and published hereunder. Rules heretofore made

23. In

Recorder of Rangoon

23 In sections four and twenty-two, the expression 'High Court' shall be deemed to include also the Recorder of Rangoon, but not so as to empower him to make rules binding on Courts other than his own Court

Construction of Bengal Regulation III of 1828, section 4, clause 5

24 The rules and restrictions referred to in Bengal Regulation III of 1828, section four, clause five, shall be deemed to be the rules and restrictions applicable to appeals under this Act from the decisions of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

Saving of Her Majesty's pleasure,

25 Nothing herein contained shall be understood—

(*a*) to bar the full and unqualified exercise of Her Majesty's pleasure in receiving or rejecting appeals to Her Majesty in Council, or otherwise howsoever, or

and of rules for conduct of business before Judicial Committee

(*b*) to interfere with any rules made by the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council and for the time being in force for the presentation of appeals to Her Majesty in Council, or their conduct before the said Judicial Committee.

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(*See section* 2.)

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ACT No. VII of 1874.

PASSED BY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

(Received the assent of the Governor General on the 24th March 1874).

An Act to provide for the appointment of Municipal Committees in Towns in British Burma, and for other purposes.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the appointment of Municipal Committees in Towns in British Burma, and for the police, conservancy, and improvement thereof, and for the levying of rates and taxes therein; It is hereby enacted as follows :— Preamble.

PART I.

PRELIMINARY.

1. This Act may be called "The British Burma Municipal Act, 1874:" Short title.

It extends only to the territories under the administration of the Chief Commissioner of British Burma; Local extent.

And it shall come into force on the passing thereof. Commencement.

2. In this Act— Interpretation-clause.

"Committee" means a Municipal Committee appointed under the provisions of this Act: "Committee."

"Municipality" means any town or towns to which this Act may be extended; and "Municipality."

"Chief Commissioner" means the Chief Commissioner of the Province of British Burma. "Chief Commissioner."

3. The Chief Commissioner may, by notification published in the *British Burma Gazette*, declare his intention to extend this Act to any town in British Burma. Power to extend Act.

Any

Any inhabitant of such town objecting to such extension may, within six weeks from the said publication, send his objection in writing to the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, and the Chief Commissioner shall take such objection into consideration.

When six weeks from the said publication have elapsed, the Chief Commissioner, if no such objections have been sent as aforesaid, or (where such objections have been so sent) if in his opinion they are insufficient, may, by like notification, effect the proposed extension.

Power to define limits of places to which Act extends.

4. For the purposes of this Act, the Chief Commissioner may, from time to time, by notification in the *British Burma Gazette*, define the limits of any town, and may include within such limits any suburb or railway-station in the vicinity:

Provided that such notification shall not operate to extend the provisions of the Act to any cantonment or part of a cantonment without the previous consent of the Governor General in Council.

The Chief Commissioner may, from time to time, by notification in the *British Burma Gazette*, declare to be united for the purposes of this Act any two or more neighbouring towns, and may also declare by what name the municipality so formed shall be designated.

PART II.

APPOINTMENT OF MUNICIPAL COMMITTEES.

Municipal Committees appointed by Chief Commissioner or by election.

5. In the case of any town to which this Act has been extended, the Chief Commissioner may appoint, or direct to be appointed by election, any number of the inhabitants thereof, not less than three, to be a Committee for carrying out the purposes of this Act, and may fill up vacancies occurring among them.

Every person so appointed to any such vacancy shall have the same powers, and be subject to the same liabilities, and vacate his office, and be eligible for re-appointment, as if he had been originally appointed under the first clause of this section.

Subject

Subject to the provisions contained in section six, every person appointed under this section shall continue in office for two years and thereafter until his successor has been appointed, and shall be eligible for re-appointment.

In every case in which the Chief Commissioner directs the appointment of a Committee to be by election, he may fix the time and manner of the election and the qualification of the electors, and generally may make such rules as he thinks fit for regulating the election.

Removal of members of Committee.

6. The Chief Commissioner may from time to time remove any member of a Committee who desires to be discharged or refuses or becomes incapable to act, or is convicted of a non-bailable offence punishable under the Indian Penal Code.

The Chief Commissioner may also, if he thinks fit, add to the number of the members of a Committee. Every member so added shall have the same powers, and be subject to the same liabilities, and vacate his office, and be eligible for re-appointment, as if he had been originally appointed under section five.

Ex-officio members of Committee.

7. In addition to the members appointed as aforesaid, the Chief Commissioner may appoint, by notification in the *British Burma Gazette*, *ex-officio* members for any place in which they exercise their offices, and to which this Act has been extended:

Provided that (except with the approval of the Governor General in Council) not less than two-fifths of the members of a Committee shall be persons other than salaried officers of Government.

Appointment of President or Vice-President.

8. The Chief Commissioner may also appoint the President of every Committee, or sanction the election by its members of one of themselves as President or Vice-President.

Election of Secretary.

The Committee may also elect any one of their number or any other person to be their Secretary.

Notification of appointments.

All appointments and elections made under this section shall be notified in the *British Burma Gazette*.

PART III.

PART III.

OFFICE AND MEETINGS OF COMMITTEES.

Committee to have an office

9. Every Committee shall have an office, where the members shall meet for the transaction of business at least once in every month.

Rules as to meetings

10. (*a.*) The President, or, in his absence, the Vice-President, shall preside at every meeting of the Committee:

(*b.*) In the absence of both the President and Vice-President, the members present may elect a Chairman for the occasion:

(*c.*) The meetings shall be general or special:

(*d.*) The President, or, in his absence, the Vice-President, may, whenever he thinks fit, and he shall, upon a requisition made in writing by not less than one-third in number of the members of the Committee, convene a meeting:

(*e.*) Notice shall be given of every meeting of a Committee, and when the meeting is to be special, at least three days' notice thereof shall be given. Every notice shall state the general nature of the business to be transacted at the meeting proposed to be called:

(*f.*) The quorum necessary for the transaction of business at a meeting shall be such number not less than three, as the Committee from time to time prescribes:

The quorum necessary for the transaction of business at a special meeting shall be not less than three, besides being at least one-half of the total number of the members of the Committee at the time of the meeting:

(*g.*) All business may be transacted at a general meeting which this Act does not require to be transacted at a special meeting:

(*h.*) All questions which may come before the Committee at any meeting shall be decided by a majority of votes:

(*i.*) Every member of a Committee shall have one vote. In case of equality of votes, the Chairman shall have a second or casting vote:

(*j.*) Such

(*j*.) Such decisions shall be recorded in a book kept for the purpose, and shall be published in some local, English or Vernacular newspaper, or in such other manner as the Chief Commissioner from time to time directs.

PART IV.

Powers of Committees.

Power to make assessments and impose taxes.

11. Subject to any general rules or special orders which the Governor General in Council may from time to time make in this behalf, every Committee intending to impose taxes for the purposes of this Act, shall give public notice of such intention, and shall in such notice define the persons or property within the municipality to be taxed for the purposes of this Act, and the nature, amount and rate of the taxes to be imposed hereunder.

Any person likely to be directly affected by all or any of the proposed taxes, and objecting to the proposed imposition may, within a fortnight from the date of the said notice, send his objection in writing to the President of the Committee, and the Committee shall take such objection into consideration and report their opinion thereon to the Chief Commissioner.

When six weeks from the date of the said notice have expired, if no such objections have been sent as aforesaid, or (where such objections have been so sent) if, in the opinion of the Committee, they are insufficient, the Committee may, with the previous sanction of the Chief Commissioner, to be notified in the *British Burma Gazette*, define the persons or property, and the amount or rate of the taxes aforesaid, and may then, at a special meeting, impose them accordingly.

The Committee may, at a special meeting, with the same sanction, abolish or lessen in amount any tax so imposed.

Specification of taxes.

12. Such taxes may, subject to the rules or orders last aforesaid, be all or any of the following: Provided that

that only one of the taxes respectively lettered (*a*), (*b*) and (*c*) shall be imposed on the same property :—

(*a*.)—A tax on houses, buildings and lands, according to the annual value thereof, not exceeding five per cent. of such value:

(*b*.)—A tax on lands covered by buildings, at a rate not exceeding one pie per square foot per annum:

(*c*.)—A tax according to the number of posts in each house, and not exceeding the following rates :—

		Rs.	As.		Rs.	As.	
1st class	7 posts	2	8	per quarter	10	0	per annum.
2nd ,,	6 ,,	1	12	,,	7	0	,,
3rd ,,	5 ,,	1	0	,,	4	0	,,
4th ,,	4 ,,	0	10	,,	2	8	,,
5th ,,	3 ,,	0	6	,,	1	8	,,
6th ,,	2 ,,	0	2	,,	0	8	,,

Explanation.—The front posts only, or such as face the road, shall be counted. Provided that, in the case of házárs or large buildings extending through from street to street, the posts contained in one row, measured lengthwise, shall be counted, and in a house facing a street on more than one side, all the posts having a road or street frontage shall be counted. In the case of houses having more than seven posts calculated according to the above rules, this tax, if imposed, shall not exceed four rupees eight annas per annum, or one rupee two annas per quarter, additional for each post above seven.

(*d*.)—Taxes on carriages, carts, boats, horses, ponies and elephants, or any of them :

(*e*.)—Fees on licenses to the proprietors or drivers of carriages, carts and boats plying for hire within the limits of the municipality :

(*f*.)—Fees on licenses to construct and establish markets, wharves and slaughter-houses, and to hold or to keep open markets, wharves and slaughter-houses constructed or established after this Act comes into force within such limits :

(*g*.)—Any other or further tax recommended by at least two-thirds of the Committee for the time being, and approved by the Chief Commissioner and sanctioned by the Governor General in Council.

13. To

13. To provide for the lighting of the public streets, the Committee may, in addition to the taxes mentioned or referred to in section twelve, impose an annual lighting-rate on all houses, buildings and lands of any municipality not exceeding two per cent. of their annual value.

Power to impose lighting-rate

To provide for the supply of water, the Committee may, in addition to the taxes last aforesaid, impose an annual rate on all houses and buildings within any municipality not exceeding two per cent. of their annual value.

Power to impose water-rate

It shall be at the option of the Committee, in lieu of either of the rates mentioned in this section, to levy upon any native houses an annual rate not exceeding one pie for every three square feet of the ground covered by such houses.

Rate on native houses

Every rate levied under this section shall be payable by the occupiers of the said houses, buildings and lands, and shall be accounted for separately.

14. No tax or rate under this Act shall be collected until the assessment thereof has been confirmed by the Chief Commissioner or such officer as he appoints in this behalf.

Taxes not to be collected till assessment confirmed

The Chief Commissioner may from time to time, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, make rules for the collection of such taxes and rates, and repeal, alter, or add to such rules.

Power to make rules for collection of taxes.

15. No tax or rate on property made under this Act shall be invalid for defect of form, and it shall be enough, in any such tax or rate or any assessment of value for the purpose of making such tax or rate, if the property rated or assessed be so described as to be generally known, and it shall not be necessary to name the owner or occupier thereof.

Taxes and rates not invalid for defect of form.

16. No person shall, within the limits of any municipality to which this Act has been extended, construct or establish a market or wharf or slaughter-house, or keep a lodging-house for the accommodation of persons not being Natives of British Burma, without a license in writing from the Committee.

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17. Every Committee may from time to time, at a special meeting, make rules consistent with this Act for regulating the time and place of their meetings, the conduct of their business, the restricting of the amount or objects of expenditure under section thirty, the division of duties among themselves, the appointment, leave, suspension and removal of their officers and servants, and for other similar matter.

Appointment of members to carry out resolutions

18 Every Committee may appoint one or more of their members to carry out their resolutions, and to enforce any of the rules and bye-laws made under the provisions of this Act, or they may appoint a special officer for such purpose.

Making bye-laws

19. Every Committee may at a special meeting make bye-laws—

(*a.*) for declaring what acts or omissions within the municipality shall be considered to be public nuisances;

(*b.*) for securing a proper registration of births, marriages and deaths;

(*c*) for determining the rates of hire of carriages, carts and boats plying for hire within the limits of the municipality;

(*d.*) for keeping markets, wharves and slaughter-houses in order;

(*e.*) for the issue of licenses to keepers of lodging-houses for the accommodation of persons not being Natives of British Burma;

(*f.*) for defining the cases, manner and times in and at which the officers of the Committee may enter upon private property for the detection and abatement of nuisances;

(*g.*) and for carrying out the purposes of this Act.

The Committee may from time to time, at a special meeting, repeal, alter or add to such bye-laws.

Confirmation of bye-laws

20 No rule under section seventeen and no bye-law and no alteration or repeal of, or addition to, a bye-law shall have effect until it has been confirmed by the Chief Commissioner.

21. All

21. All bye-laws made under this Act, and alterations and repeals of, and additions to, such bye-laws, shall be published for such length of time and in such manner as the Chief Commissioner from time to time directs, and shall after such publication have the force of law.

Publication of bye-laws.

Public Nuisances.

22. The Committee may enjoin, within the limits of the municipality, any person not to repeat or continue a public nuisance.

Power to prohibit repetition or continuance of nuisances.

Every such injunction shall be deemed to have been made by a public servant.

23. Any member or members sitting together of a Committee whom the Chief Commissioner authorizes in this behalf may, so long as such authorization continues, exercise the powers of a Magistrate of a District as described in section five hundred and twenty-one of the Code of Criminal Procedure for the removal of nuisances, and in the exercise of such powers shall follow the procedure prescribed in sections five hundred and twenty-one to five hundred and twenty-eight (both inclusive) of the same Code.

Power to remove nuisances.

Purchase and Sale of Land.

24. The Committee may at a special meeting, and with the previous sanction of the Chief Commissioner, purchase land for the purposes of this Act, and may, at a like meeting and with the like sanction, sell any portion of such land which is not required for the purposes aforesaid, and convey the same in the names of the President and two of the members of the Committee.

Power to buy and sell land.

The receipt of the President and any two members of the Committee for any monies paid to them upon any such sale shall effectually discharge the person paying the same therefrom, or from being concerned to see to the application thereof, or being accountable for the non-application or misapplication thereof; and the proceeds of such sale shall be applied for the purposes of this Act.

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25. The Chief Commissioner may by order cancel, suspend or limit any of the acts, proceedings or rules of any Committee.

Abolition of taxes.

The Chief Commissioner may also abolish any tax or rate which shall have been sanctioned, but not so as to entitle any person to a refund of monies paid in respect of such tax or rate.

PART V.

RIGHTS, DUTIES AND LIABILITIES OF COMMITTEES.

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Property held for municipal purposes vested in Committee.

26. All property moveable and immoveable, which, when this Act comes into force in any municipality, is held for municipal purposes, shall become vested in the Committee appointed under this Act for such municipality: Provided that the Local Government may, by notification in the *British Burma Gazette*, at any time before the extension of this Act to such municipality, except from the operation of this provision any portion of such property, and reserve it to be held either by the Local Government or in the manner in which the same is held at the date of such notification.

Municipal Fund.

Municipal Fund.

27. All sums received by the Committee of any town to which this Act shall be extended, and all fines levied under this Act, and all receipts from property managed by the Committee, shall constitute a fund, which shall be called the Municipal Fund of such town, and shall, together with all property which may become vested in such Committee, be under their control, and shall be applied by them as trustees for the purposes of this Act.

The Committee shall keep separate accounts of all receipts and payments of and out of funds raised for the purposes of section thirteen, or assigned to the Committee for any other specific purpose.

Power to charge upon

28. The Chief Commissioner may from time to time, with the previous sanction of the Governor General

General in Council, assign to the Committee of any town upon which any port may be abutting, or within which any port may be, such annual sums to be charged upon and payable out of the Port Fund of such port as to him seem just and reasonable, for or towards reimbursing to the Municipal Fund such portion of their general expenditure as may, in his opinion, be rendered necessary by the visits to such town of seamen from ships lying in such port.

Port Fund expense caused by seamen.

29. The funds of every municipality shall be kept in the Government Treasury of the district, or in the Bank (if any) to which the Government Treasury business shall have been made over.

Custody and disbursement of Municipal Fund

No disbursement of such funds or any part thereof shall be made except under the signature of the President or Vice-President and one other member of the Committee.

30. Subject to the provisions of this Act and to their rules restricting the amount or the subjects of expenditure, and after providing out of such fund for a police establishment in the manner hereinafter mentioned, every Committee shall, so far as the Municipal Fund permits, keep the public streets, roads, drains, tanks and water-courses of the municipality for which they are appointed clean and in repair,

Duties of Committee.

and may cause such streets and roads, or any of them, to be watered and lighted,

and generally may do all acts and things necessary for the purposes of conservancy,

and may construct and provide for the management of hospitals, dispensaries, market-places and other works of general utility,

and may also make provision for promoting the public health, safety, comfort and convenience.

The Committee may also make provision, by the establishment of new schools or the aiding of already existing schools or otherwise, for the promotion of education in the municipality for which such Committee are appointed.

31. Every

Contracts

31. Every contract made on behalf of the Committee in respect of any sum exceeding twenty rupees, or in respect of any property exceeding twenty rupees in value, shall be in writing, and shall be signed by the President or Vice-President and at least two other members of the Committee, of whom one shall be an *ex-officio* member. Unless so executed, it shall not be binding on the Committee.

Municipal Police.

Provision for police

32. Every Committee shall provide in the first place from the funds applicable to the general purposes of the municipality, such sums as the Chief Commissioner may from time to time require for the establishment and maintenance of the police ordinarily employed on town duties within the limits of the municipality.

Police to aid in carrying out orders regarding nuisances

33. The municipal police shall be enrolled under Act No. V of 1861 (*for the regulation of Police*).

Every police officer in any town to which this Act is extended shall have power to take into custody without a warrant any person who, within his view, commits any of the offences mentioned in section thirty-four of the said Act No. V of 1861, and shall be bound to carry out the orders issued by the Committee for the prohibition and prevention of any public nuisance defined to be such by any bye-law made under this Act.

Annual Reports.

Annual reports and statements to be submitted.

34 Every Committee shall annually, or oftener if directed by the Chief Commissioner to do so, submit statements of their receipts on account of, and disbursements from, the Municipal Fund, and also reports of all works executed or proceedings taken by them under the authority of this Act.

Such accounts shall be examined or audited in such manner as the Chief Commissioner from time to time prescribes.

The Committee shall also submit, at such time and in such form as may be directed by the Chief Commissioner, an estimate of their probable receipts for

for the financial year next following, with proposals for their expenditure.

An abstract of such estimate and proposals shall, on being so submitted, be published in such manner as the Chief Commissioner from time to time directs.

Rules as to cost and class of works

35 The Chief Commissioner may from time to time make rules consistent with this Act, as to the cost and the class of works which the Committee may execute, and the members of the Committee shall be legally bound to obey such rules.

Land required for Public Purposes.

Land required for municipal purposes may be taken up under Act X of 1870.

36. When any land within the limits of any municipality is required for the construction or improvement of a highway, for the promotion of the healthiness of the neighbourhood, or for any other public purpose, if the Committee cannot agree with the owner for the purchase thereof, the Chief Commissioner, on the recommendation of the Committee, may notify in the *British Burma Gazette* that such land is required under the provisions of the Land-Acquisition Act, 1870, and on payment by the Committee of the compensation awarded under such Act, the land shall vest in them for the purposes of this Act.

Suits by and against Committee.

Suits by and against Committee.

37 Every Committee shall sue and be sued in the name of their President.

Members not personally liable for contracts made

38. No member of a Committee shall be personally liable for any contract made or expense incurred by or on behalf of the Committee; but the funds from time to time in the hands of the Committee shall be liable for, and chargeable with, all contracts made in the manner above provided for.

Liability of members for breach of trust.

39 Every member of a Committee shall be liable for any misapplication of money entrusted to the Committee to which he shall have been a party, or which happens through, or is facilitated by, the neglect of his duty; and he shall be liable to be sued for the same in such Court as the Chief Commissioner directs as for money due to Government.

40. No

Notice previous to suing Committee or their officers

40. No suit shall be brought against a Committee or any of their officers, or any person acting under their direction, for anything done under this Act, until the expiration of one month next after notice in writing has been delivered or left at the office of the Committee, or at the place of abode of such person, stating the cause of suit and the name and place of abode of the intending plaintiff.

Unless such notice be proved, the Court shall find for the defendant.

Limitation of suits

Every such suit shall be commenced within three months next after accrual of the right to sue and not afterwards.

Previous tender of amends

If any person to whom any such notice of suit is given shall, before suit is brought, tender sufficient amends to the plaintiff, such plaintiff shall not recover.

PART VI.

PENALTIES AND PROSECUTIONS AND RECOVERY OF TAXES.

Penalty on Committee or any of their servants being interested in contracts made with Committee

41. No member or servant of a Committee shall be interested directly or indirectly in any contract made with the Committee; and if any such person be so interested, he shall thereby become incapable of continuing in office or in employment as such member or servant, and shall be liable to a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees.

Provided that no person shall, by reason of being a shareholder in or member of any incorporated or registered Company, be deemed interested in any contract entered into between such Company and the Committee.

Nevertheless it shall not be lawful for such shareholder or member to act as a member of the Committee in any matter relating to such contract

Penalty for infringement of bye laws or non payment of fines

42. Whoever infringes any bye-law made and confirmed as directed in this Act, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees, and, in the case of a continuing infringement, to a fine not exceeding five rupees

rupees for every day after notice from the Committee of such infringement.

In default of payment of any fine imposed under this section, the defaulter shall, in the case of a continuing infringement, be liable to simple imprisonment for a term not exceeding one month; and in any other case, to simple imprisonment for a term not exceeding eight days.

Prosecutions.

43. Prosecutions under this Act for infringement of bye-laws may be instituted before any Magistrate having jurisdiction by the Committee or any person authorized by them in this behalf.

Recovery of taxes.

44. All fees and all sums due on account of property for the time being vested in the Committee, and all arrears of taxes and rates imposed under this Act, may be recovered as if they were arrears of land-revenue.

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ACT No. VIII of 1874.

PASSED BY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

(Received the assent of the Governor General on the 7th April 1874).

An Act to provide for the exercise of the powers hitherto exercised by the Lieutenant-Governor and Board of Revenue of Bengal in the territories forming the Chief Commissionership of Assam.

Preamble.

WHEREAS the territories mentioned in the schedule hereto annexed have been taken under the direct management of the Governor General in Council, and have been formed into a Chief Commissionership, called the Chief Commissionership of Assam, and a Chief Commissioner has been appointed for the same:

And whereas it is expedient to provide for the exercise within the said territories of the powers heretofore exercised therein, under or by virtue of any law or regulation, by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal and the Board of Revenue for the Lower Provinces of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal, respectively; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Powers of Lieutenant-Governor and Board transferred to Governor General in Council.

1. All powers over the whole or any portion of the said territories which at the time of the formation of the said Chief Commissionership were, under or by virtue of any law or regulation, vested in, or exercisable by, the said Lieutenant-Governor or Board of Revenue, shall be taken to have been, on the formation of the said Chief Commissionership, transferred to and vested in the Governor General in Council.

Delegation of such powers.

2. The Governor General in Council may, from time to time, delegate to the said Chief Commissioner all

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all or any of the said powers, and withdraw any powers so delegated.

Saving of power of Lieutenant-Governor to complete certain arrangements with zamíndárs.

3. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to affect the power of the said Lieutenant-Governor to complete and carry out arrangements pending at the passing of this Act for making compensation to zamíndárs or other persons under Act No. XXII of 1869, section seven.

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ACT No. IX OF 1874.

PASSED BY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

(*Received the assent of the Governor General on the 7th April* 1874).

An Act to consolidate and amend the Law relating to European Vagrancy.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the laws relating to persons of European extraction who wander in a destitute condition throughout India; It is hereby enacted as follows:— Preamble.

PART I.

PRELIMINARY.

1. This Act may be called "The European Vagrancy Act, 1874:" Short title.

It extends to the whole of British India and to the dominions of Princes and States in India in alliance with Her Majesty; Local extent.

And it shall come into force at once: Provided that sections four to sixteen (both inclusive), nineteen, twenty, twenty-four and twenty-nine shall not come into force in Coorg, or in the Andaman and Nicobar Islands, or in any of the dominions of the Princes and States in India in alliance with Her Majesty not situate within the limits of any Presidency, Lieutenant-Governorship or Chief Commissionership in British India, until such day or respective days as the Governor General in Council from time to time, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, appoints in this behalf Commencement

2. Acts No. XXI of 1869 (*to provide against European Vagrancy*) and No. XXVIII of 1871 (*to* Repeal of Acts

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amend the European Vagrancy Act, 1869) are hereby repealed.

But all appointments and orders made, workhouses provided, certificates given, powers conferred, rules prescribed and exemptions granted under the former Act, shall be deemed to have been respectively made, provided, given, conferred, prescribed and granted under this Act.

Interpretation clause

"Person of European extraction"

3. In this Act—

"Person of European extraction" includes—

(*a*) persons born in Europe, America, the West Indies, Australia, Tasmania, New Zealand, Natal, or the Cape Colony,

(*b*) the sons and grandsons of such persons,

but does not include persons commonly called Eurasians or East Indians:

"Vagrant"

"Vagrant" means a person of European extraction found asking for alms, or wandering about without any employment or visible means of subsistence:

"Master of a ship"

"Master of a ship" includes any person in charge of a decked vessel:

"Magistrate."

And in Parts III and V of this Act "Magistrate" means, within the limits of the towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay, a Magistrate of Police, and, outside those limits, a person exercising powers under the Code of Criminal Procedure not less than those of a Magistrate of the second class.

PART II.

PROCEDURE.

Power to require apparent vagrant to go before Magistrate

4. Any Police officer may within the limits of the towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay, require any person who is apparently a vagrant to accompany him or any other Police officer to, and to appear before, the nearest Magistrate of Police, and may, without those limits, require any such person to accompany him or any other Police officer to, and to appear before, the nearest Justice of the Peace exercising the powers of a Magistrate of the first class under the Code of Criminal Procedure.

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5. The Magistrate of Police or Justice shall in such case, or in any other case where a person apparently a vagrant comes before him, make a summary inquiry into the circumstances and character of the apparent vagrant; and if he is satisfied that such person is a vagrant, he shall record in his office a declaration to that effect.

Summary inquiry into vagrant's circumstances.

Declaration of vagrancy.

If he is further of opinion that the vagrant is not likely to obtain employment at once, or if he has reason to believe that a declaration of vagrancy has on any former occasion been recorded in respect of such vagrant, he shall require the vagrant to go to a Government work-house, and shall draw up an order to that effect.

Order to go to work-house.

The vagrant shall then be placed in charge of the Police for the purpose of being forwarded to the work-house, and the said order shall be a sufficient authority to the Police for retaining him in their charge while he is on his way to the work-house, and to the Governor of the work-house for receiving and detaining such vagrant.

6. Where the officer making the inquiry mentioned in section five is of opinion that the vagrant is likely to obtain employment in any place subject to the Local Government, or (when the vagrant is in any part of the dominions mentioned in section one) in any place subject to any adjacent Local Government, such officer may in his discretion forward the vagrant to such place in charge of the Police, and draw up an order to that effect.

Forwarding vagrant to place of employment.

Such order shall be a sufficient authority to the Police for retaining the vagrant in their charge while he is on his way to such place of employment.

7. Upon his arrival at the place of employment, the vagrant shall be taken before the nearest Magistrate of Police or Justice of the Peace exercising powers as aforesaid, to whom the order for transmission shall be delivered.

Assistance to obtain employment.

Such officer shall thereupon, to the best of his ability, assist the vagrant in seeking employment, and may in the meantime, if he think fit, keep the vagrant in the charge of the Police.

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Should the vagrant fail to obtain suitable employment within a reasonable time not exceeding fifteen days from such arrival, such officer shall forward him to a Government work-house in the manner provided by section five.

Subsistence allowance

8. Every person while in charge of the Police, whether before inquiry as to his vagrancy, or while he is on his way, under section five, to the work-house, or, under section six, to a place of employment, shall be entitled to an allowance for his subsistence at the rate of eight annas per diem.

The Magistrate of Police or Justice, before whom any vagrant is taken under section seven, may, if he think fit, order the vagrant to receive a similar allowance while he is seeking employment.

The Local Government shall cause such allowance to be paid out of such funds at its disposal and in such manner as it may from time to time direct.

Power to give certificates

9. Any Magistrate of Police or Justice of the Peace exercising powers as aforesaid may, on being satisfied that any person of European extraction is not likely to become a vagrant, give such person a certificate under his hand stating that for a certain time (mentioning it) not exceeding six months from the date of the certificate, and within certain limits (mentioning them), nothing in sections four, five, six and seven shall apply to the holder of such certificate; and thereupon, so long as the certificate remains in force, nothing in sections four, five, six and seven shall apply to such person within such limits as aforesaid.

Form of certificate

Every such certificate shall be in the form set forth in the first schedule to this Act annexed, or as near thereto as circumstances will admit.

Power to invest certain officials with jurisdiction of Justices under sections 5, 7, 8 and 9

10. The Local Government may from time to time, by notification in the official Gazette, invest any Justice of the Peace, District Superintendent of Police, or Assistant District Superintendent of Police with the jurisdiction and powers conferred by this Part on a Justice of the Peace exercising powers as aforesaid.

PART III

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GOVERNMENT WORK-HOUSES.

11. The Local Government, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, may provide work-houses with their necessary furniture and establishment, at such places as it may think proper, for the temporary reception of vagrants, Provision of Government work-houses.

or may, by writing under the hand of a Secretary to such Government, certify any building, or part of a building not provided as a work-house under the former part of this section, to be fit for a work-house for the purposes of this Act. Every such certificate shall be published in the local official Gazette, and thereupon such building or part of a building shall, until the Local Government otherwise orders, be deemed a Government work-house under this Act.

The Local Government shall allow the same scale of diet for the support of vagrants received in such work-houses as is for the time being allowed for Europeans confined in the local prisons or penitentiaries. Scale of diet.

12. Every such work-house shall be under the immediate charge of a Governor, who shall be appointed, and may be suspended or removed, by the Local Government. Superintendence of work-houses.

Every such Governor shall, if the Local Government think fit, be subject to the orders of a Committee of Management appointed from time to time by such Government, or, in the absence of a Committee, to the orders of such officer as the Local Government from time to time appoints in this behalf.

13. Every such Governor may order that any vagrant admitted to the work-house under his charge shall be searched, and that the vagrant's bundles, packages and other effects shall be inspected, and may direct that any money then found with or on the vagrant, shall be applied (subject to the orders of the Local Government) towards the expense of carrying this Act into execution, and may order that all or any of the said effects shall be sold, and that the pro- Search of vagrants.

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duce of the sale be applied as aforesaid, but subject to the like orders.

Discipline

14. Vagrants admitted to work-houses under this Act shall be subject to such rules of management and discipline as may from time to time be prescribed by the Local Government with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council.

The Local Government may authorize any Governor of a work-house to punish (under or not under the supervision and direction of a Committee of Management, as the Local Government thinks fit) any vagrant who knowingly disobeys or neglects any such rule with any one of the following punishments (namely)—

(*a*) solitary confinement within the work-house for any time not exceeding seven days;

(*b*) solitary confinement within the work-house for any time not exceeding three days upon a diet reduced to such extent as the Local Government may prescribe;

(*c*) hard labour for any time not exceeding seven days;

(*d*) reduction of diet to such extent as the Local Government may prescribe for any time not exceeding five days;

Or in lieu of any such punishment any such vagrant may, on conviction before a Magistrate of such disobedience or neglect, be punishable with rigorous imprisonment in jail for a term which may extend to three months.

Refusal to accept employment

15. The Governor and the Committee of Management (if any) of every such work-house shall use his and their best endeavours to obtain outside the work-house suitable employment for the vagrants admitted thereto.

When such employment is obtained, any such vagrant refusing or neglecting to avail himself thereof, shall, on conviction before a Magistrate, be punishable with rigorous imprisonment for a term which may extend to one month.

PART IV.

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Removal from India.

16. If after the lapse of a reasonable time no suitable employment is obtainable for any such vagrant, the Local Government may either (when he has entered into such agreement as hereinafter mentioned) cause him to be removed from British India in manner hereinafter provided, the cost of such removal being paid by Government; Removal of vagrants. Cost of removal.

or it may cause sections twenty-three and thirty to be read to him and may then release him.

17. Any vagrant or other person of European extraction may enter into an agreement in writing with the Secretary of State for India in Council, binding himself— Agreements with vagrants.

(*a*) to proceed to such port in British India as shall be mentioned in the agreement;

(*b*) there to embark on board such ship and at such time as is directed by an officer appointed in this behalf by the Local Government of the territories in which such port is situate, for the purpose of being removed from India at the expense of the said Secretary of State in Council;

(*c*) to remain on board such ship until she has arrived at her port of destination; and

(*d*) not to return to India until five years have elapsed from the date of such embarkation.

Every such agreement may be on unstamped paper and shall be in the form set forth in the second schedule to this Act annexed, or as near thereto as circumstances admit. Form of agreement.

18. The Local Government of the territories in which the said port is situate, may enter into such contracts for conveyance or otherwise, and perform such other acts as may be necessary to carry out such agreement on the part of the said Secretary of State in Council. Power to perform agreement.

PART V.

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PENALTIES.

Refusal to go before Magistrate.

19. Any person refusing or failing to accompany a Police officer to, or to appear before, a Magistrate of Police or Justice of the Peace, for the purpose of preliminary inquiry, when required so to do under section four, may be arrested without warrant and shall be punishable, whether he be or be not an European British subject, on conviction before a Magistrate, with imprisonment for a term which may extend to one month, or with fine, or with both.

Assaulting Police.

And any person who, when required under section four to accompany a Police officer to, or to appear before, a Magistrate of Police or Justice of the Peace, commits an offence punishable under section three hundred and fifty-three of the Indian Penal Code, may, whether he be or be not an European British subject, be tried by a Magistrate for such offence.

Escaping from Police.

20. Any vagrant who escapes from the Police while committed to their charge under the orders specified in sections five and six,

Quitting work-house without leave.

or who leaves a work-house, under this Act, without permission from the Governor,

Failing to return to work-house.

or who having with such permission left a work-house for a limited time or a specified purpose, fails to return on the expiration of such time or when such purpose has been accomplished or proves to be impracticable,

shall for every such offence be punishable, on conviction before a Magistrate, with rigorous imprisonment for a term which may extend to two years.

Failing to proceed to port of embarkation.

21. Any person entering into an agreement under section seventeen, and failing to proceed in pursuance thereof to the port therein mentioned,

Refusing to go on board ship.

or refusing to embark when directed so to do under the same section,

Escaping from ship.

or escaping from the ship in which he has so embarked before she has reached her port of destination,

shall for every such offence be punishable, whether he be or be not an European British subject, on conviction

viction before a Magistrate, with rigorous imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months.

Returning to India.

22. Any person returning to India within five years of the date of his embarkation pursuant to any agreement entered into under section seventeen, unless specially permitted so to do by the Secretary of State for India, shall for every such offence be punishable, whether he be or be not an European British subject, on conviction before a Magistrate, with rigorous imprisonment for a term which may extend to two years.

Begging.

23. Any person of European extraction found asking for alms when he has sufficient means of subsistence,

or asking for alms in a threatening or insolent manner,

or continuing to ask for alms of any person after he has been required to desist,

shall be punishable, whether he be or be not an European British subject, on conviction before a Magistrate, with rigorous imprisonment for a term not exceeding one month for the first offence, two months for the second, and three months for any subsequent offence.

Procedure on close of imprisonment.

24. Every person imprisoned under section nineteen, twenty, twenty-one, twenty-two or twenty-three, shall, at the end of his term of imprisonment, be placed before the nearest Magistrate of Police or Justice of the Peace exercising powers as aforesaid, who shall, if he think fit, forthwith deal with him in the manner prescribed by sections five and six.

The order of transmission shall certify the fact of the previous conviction.

Penalty on shipmaster bringing European convicts to India.

25. Every master of a ship landing or allowing to land in any part of British India any person of European extraction who has been convicted in any other part of Her Majesty's dominions of felony, or of an offence which, if committed in England, would be felony, shall, on conviction before a Magistrate, be liable, for every such person so landed or allowed to land, to pay a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees

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and not less than one hundred rupees, and, in default of payment, to imprisonment for any term not exceeding two months,

unless the defendant satisfy the Magistrate by evidence (which the defendant is hereby declared competent to give), that he had made due enquiry as to the person so landed, or allowed to land, and that he had no reason to believe that such person had been convicted as aforesaid.

Power to exempt certain ship-masters.

The Governor General in Council may from time to time, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, exempt from the operation of the former part of this section the masters of any class of ships, on such terms as to the Governor General in Council seem fit, and either in respect of all or of any of the persons on board such ships.

The Governor General in Council may in like manner revoke any exemption made under this section.

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26. All fines imposed under this Act may be recovered, if for offences committed outside the local limits of the towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay, in the manner prescribed by the Code of Criminal Procedure, and ~~if for offences committed within those limits, in the manner prescribed by any Act regulating the Police of such towns in force for the time being.~~

All fines recovered under this Act shall be paid to the credit of the Government of India, or as the Governor General in Council from time to time directs.

Prosecutions.

27. All prosecutions under this Act may be instituted and conducted by such officer as the Local Government from time to time appoints in this behalf.

Limits of jurisdiction.

28. In imposing penalties under this Part and Part III of this Act, no person shall exceed the limits of jurisdiction prescribed for him by the Code of Criminal Procedure in the case of offenders not being European British subjects.

29. No

29. No proceeding under this Act shall be deemed invalid by reason only that the Magistrate of Police or Justice, before whom a person, apparently a vagrant, was required to appear, or before whom a person was placed under section twenty-four, was not the nearest.

Validity of proceedings where Magistrate is not the nearest.

PART VI.

MISCELLANEOUS.

30 Any European British subject who, upon the summary enquiry mentioned in section five, has been determined to be a vagrant, or who has been convicted under section twenty-two or section twenty-three, shall, so long as he remains in India, be subject, beyond the limits of the said towns, to the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure (other than those contained in Chapter XXXVIII of the same Code) applicable to an European not being a British subject.

Deprivation of privileges of European British subjects under Criminal Procedure Code.

If from any cause he is committed or held to bail by a Justice of the Peace to take his trial before a High Court, he shall not be at liberty to object to the jurisdiction of such Justice of the Peace or High Court on the ground of anything contained in the former part of this section.

Save as aforesaid nothing herein contained shall be deemed to confer jurisdiction over European British subjects on Magistrates, who, if this Act had not been passed, would have had no such jurisdiction.

31 Whenever any person of European extraction lands in India, or, being a Non-Commissioned Officer or Soldier in Her Majesty's Army, leaves that army in India, under an engagement to serve any other person, or any Company, Association or body of persons in any capacity,

Liability of importers of Europeans or employers of soldiers becoming vagrants

and whenever a sailor of European extraction not being a British subject, is discharged from his ship in any British Indian port,

and becomes chargeable to the State as a vagrant within one year after his arrival in India or leaving the

the Army, or discharge from his ship, as the case may be, then the person, or Company, Association or body, to serve whom he has so landed in India or left the Army, or, in the case of a sailor, the person who is at the date of the discharge the owner or agent of the ship from which the sailor has been so discharged, shall be liable to pay to the Government the cost of his removal under this Act, and all other charges incurred by the State in consequence of his becoming a vagrant.

Recovery of charges.

Such costs and charges shall be recoverable by suit as if an express agreement to repay them had been entered into with the Secretary of State for India in Council, by the person, Company, Association, body, owner or agent chargeable.

Liability of consignee in case of Europeans who arrive in charge of animals and become vagrants.

32. When any person of European extraction lands in India, being or having been during his passage to India, or from one Indian port to another, in charge of, or in attendance upon, any animal, and becomes chargeable to the State as a vagrant within one year after his arrival in India, then

the consignee of such animal,

or the agents in India for the sale of such animal,

or, if such consignee or agents cannot be found,

the agent to whom the ship in which such animal arrived in India was consigned,

shall be liable to pay to the Government the cost of such person's removal under this Act, and all other charges incurred by the State in consequence of his becoming a vagrant.

Any such consignee or agent shall be entitled to charge the consignor or principal for any payment to the Government under this section.

'Consignee' defined.

For the purposes of this section 'Consignee' includes any person who undertakes to dispose of such animal for the benefit of the consignor, and

'Agent' defined.

'Agent' includes any person who undertakes the agency of such ship, though it may not have been consigned to him.

33. In

33 In any proceeding under this Part, a certified copy of the declaration recorded under section five, shall be *primâ facie* evidence that the European British subject named therein has been, upon the summary enquiry mentioned in that section, determined to be and that he was at the date of the declaration a vagrant.

Evidence of declaration under section 5.

34. The powers and duties conferred and imposed by sections sixteen and eighteen, on a Local Government, may be exercised and performed by such class of officers as the Local Government from time to time, by notification in the official Gazette, appoints in this behalf.

Exercise of powers conferred on Local Government

35. The powers and duties conferred and imposed by this Act on Magistrates, Justices of the Peace exercising the powers of a Magistrate of the first class, and Police officers respectively may, in places beyond the limits of British India, be exercised and performed by such persons respectively as the Governor General in Council from time to time, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, appoints in this behalf.

Exercise in Native States of powers conferred on Magistrates, Justices, and Police

36 The Governor General in Council may from time to time make rules, consistent with this Act, for the guidance of officers in matters connected with its enforcement.

Power to make rules for guidance of officers

All such rules shall be published in the *Gazette of India*, and shall thereupon have the force of law.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

(*See section* 9)

WHEREAS *E. F* of a person of European extraction and holder of this certificate, has appeared before me and satisfied me that he is not likely to become a vagrant within the meaning of the European Vagrancy Act, 1874, THESE ARE TO CERTIFY that for the space of months from the date hereof and within the Province [*or* District] of nothing in sections four, five, six and

and seven of the same Act shall be deemed to apply to him, unless he is found asking for alms, IN WHICH CASE this certificate shall be void.

(Signed) *G. H.*

Dated this day of 18

Magistrate of Police for the Town of
or Justice of the Peace for exercising the powers of a Magistrate of the class.

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

(*See section* 17.)

ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT made this day of 18 BETWEEN the Secretary of State for India in Council of the one part and *C. D.* of, &c., [*the vagrant*] of the other part: Each of the parties hereto (so far as relates to the acts on his own part to be performed) hereby agrees with the other of them as follows:—

1. The said *C. D.* shall proceed forthwith to the port of [*the port of embarkation*].

2. The said *C. D.* shall there embark on board such ship and at such time as an officer appointed in this behalf by the Local Government shall direct.

3. The said *C. D.* shall remain on board such ship until she shall have arrived at her port of destination.

4. The said *C. D.* shall not return to India until five years shall have elapsed from the date of such embarkation, unless specially permitted so to return by the said Secretary of State.

5. The said Secretary of State in Council shall defray the cost of the transit of the said *C. D.* to the said port, and of his lodging and subsistence during such transit and during his detention (if any) at the same port, and shall contract with the owner of the said ship, or his agent, for the passage of the said *C. D.* on board the said ship, and for his subsistence during the voyage for which he shall embark as aforesaid.

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In witness whereof *A. B.* (by order of the Governor General of India in Council [*or* the Governor of in Council *or* the Lieutenant-Governor of ,*or* the Chief Commissioner of], on behalf of the said Secretary of State in Council), and the said *C. D.* have hereunto set their hands the day and year first above written.

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ACT No. X of 1874.

Passed by the Governor General of India in Council.

(*Received the assent of the Governor General on the 21st April* 1874).

An Act to amend the Law relating to Salt.

FOR the purpose of amending the law relating to Salt in Ganjam, Orissa and the Central Provinces; It is hereby enacted as follows:— Preamble.

(*a*).—*Ganjam.*

1. In modification of Act No. XXIV of 1869, section two, the price to be paid to the Local Government for Salt manufactured under the orders of the Governor of the Presidency of Fort St. George in Council, and sold at any place within the District of Ganjam, shall be such sum not exceeding two rupees four annas for every maund of three thousand two hundred tolas weight of Salt as the Governor General in Council may from time to time fix for such place. Modification of Act XXIV of 1869, section 2.

(*b*).—*Orissa.*

2. In modification of Bengal Act No. VII of 1864, section nine, a duty shall be paid on Salt manufactured at any place in the Division of Orissa by persons licensed under that Act, at such rate not exceeding three rupees four annas, and not less than two rupees four annas, per maund of three thousand two hundred tolas weight as the Governor General in Council may from time to time fix for such place. Modification of Bengal Act VII of 1864, section 9.

(*c*).—*The Central Provinces.*

3. The duty leviable under Act No. VII of 1864, section two, may be levied by way of a mileage rate on— Levy of Salt-duty in Central Provinces.

(*a*.) Salt imported from the Presidency of Bombay into any part of the territories under the administration

[*Price one anna and three pies.*]

tion of the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces, and

(*b.*) Salt which having been so imported is afterwards moved from one place to another.

And the Governor General in Council may from time to time fix, for the purposes of this section, the rate per maund per mile, and the places at which and the mode in which such rate shall be levied.

Application of Act XIV of 1843, sections 6 and 7.

4. The provisions of sections six and seven of Act No. XIV of 1843 shall apply as if the duties thereinmentioned were the duty leviable under the said Act No. VII of 1864 as modified by section three of this Act and as if the orders referred to in the said section six of Act No. XIV of 1843 were orders issued under the said Act No. VII of 1864 or under section three of this Act.

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ACT No. XI of 1874.

PASSED BY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

(Received the assent of the Governor General on the 5th May 1874).

An Act to amend the Code of Criminal Procedure.

FOR the purpose of amending the Code of Criminal Procedure; It is hereby enacted as follows:— Preamble

1. In section two, after the fourth paragraph, the following shall be inserted, (namely):— Amendment of section 2.

"The cases in which the Police may arrest without warrant or not, in the case of each offence under the Indian Penal Code or any other law referred to in section eight;

whether a warrant or a summons shall ordinarily issue in the first instance,

whether the offence is bailable or not, and

the Court by which the offence is triable,

are indicated respectively by the third, fourth, fifth and seventh columns of the fourth schedule hereto annexed."

2. To section four the following clause shall be added (namely):— Addition to section 4

"In every part of this Code, except where a contrary intention appears from the context, words which refer to acts done extend also to illegal omissions."

3. To sections eighteen and thirty-six, the following words shall be added (namely):— Amendment of sections 18 and 36.

"or if he think further enquiry or additional evidence upon any point bearing upon the guilt or innocence of the accused person to be necessary, he may direct such enquiry or evidence to be made or taken."

4. In

[*Price three annas and six pies.*]

Amendment of section 30.

4. In section thirty-nine, after the word "limits," the following words shall be inserted (namely): "and may, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, declare any local area to be a District."

Addition to section 42.

5. To section forty-two, the following clause shall be added (namely):—

"With the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, the Local Government may delegate, with such limitations as it may think proper, to any officer under its control, the power conferred by the first clause of this section."

Amendment of sections 44 and 47.

6. In section forty-four and the first paragraph of section forty-seven, the word "criminal" shall be omitted.

Addition to section 46.

7. To section forty-six, the following illustration shall be added (namely):—

"*Illustration.*—A Magistrate of the third class having jurisdiction finds an accused person guilty, but considers that he ought to receive a more severe punishment than imprisonment for a term of one month, or a fine of fifty rupees. On recording the finding, submitting the proceedings and forwarding the accused to the Magistrate of the District, such Magistrate may pass a sentence on the accused including solitary confinement and whipping."

Amendment of section 59.

8. In section fifty-nine, after the word "Court," the words "inferior to a Court of Session" shall be inserted.

Addition to section 63.

9. To the second paragraph of section sixty-three, the following words shall be added (namely):—

"Provided that such direction be not repugnant to any direction previously issued under the twenty-fourth and twenty-fifth of Victoria, cap. 104, section fifteen, or under section sixty-four of this Code."

Proviso of section 64 repealed.

10. In section sixty-four, the proviso shall be repealed.

Power to transfer criminal cases from one High Court to another.

11. After section sixty-four, the following section shall be inserted (namely):—

"64A. Whenever it appears to the Governor General

neral in Council that it will promote the ends of justice or tend to the general convenience of parties or witnesses, he may, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, direct the transfer of any particular criminal case or appeal from one High Court to another High Court, or from any Criminal Court subordinate to one High Court to any other Criminal Court of equal or superior jurisdiction subordinate to another High Court.

"And the Court to which such case or appeal is transferred shall deal with the same as if it had been originally instituted in or presented to such Court."

Amendment of section 75.

12. For the second paragraph of section seventy-five, the following shall be substituted (namely):—

"When the offence, or one of the offences, complained of is punishable with death or transportation for life, the commitment shall be to the High Court.

"And where any person so committed is charged with several offences, of which one is punishable with death or transportation and the other with a less punishment, and the High Court considers that he should not be tried for the offence punishable with death or transportation, the High Court may nevertheless try him for the other offence."

Amendment of section 186.

13. In section one hundred and eighty-six, for the words "charged before any Criminal Court with an offence," the following words shall be substituted (namely):—

"accused in any Criminal Court of an offence."

Amendment of section 195, Explanation III.

14. In section one hundred and ninety-five, Explanation III, for the word 'cannot,' the words "shall not ordinarily" shall be substituted.

Addition to section 202.

15. To section two hundred and two, clause first, the following words shall be added (namely): "unless the Magistrate is satisfied that such Government Pleader or other person is already aware of the commitment and the form of the charge."

16. To

Addition to section 216.

16. To section two hundred and sixteen, the following explanation shall be added (namely) :—

"EXPLANATION III.—The charge shall be prepared as soon as the Magistrate is of opinion that a *primâ facie* case has been established against the accused person, although the whole of the evidence for the prosecution may not have been completed."

Amendment of section 222, para (10)

17. In section two hundred and twenty-two, for paragraph (10), the following shall be substituted (namely) :—

"(10.) Insult with intent to provoke a breach of the peace under section five hundred and four, and criminal intimidation under section five hundred and six, of the Indian Penal Code."

Amendment of section 231

18. In section two hundred and thirty-one, for "section four hundred and seventy-two," the following words shall be substituted (namely) :—

"Section thirty-three, section four hundred and thirty-five, section four hundred and seventy-two, or section four hundred and seventy-four."

Amendment of section 247.

19. To section two hundred and forty-seven, the following words shall be prefixed (namely):—"The person conducting the prosecution shall then open his case, and"

Amendment of section 249.

20. For the first paragraph of section two hundred and forty-nine, the following shall be substituted (namely) :—

"When a witness is produced before the Court of Session or before the High Court in the exercise of its original or appellate criminal jurisdiction, the evidence given by him before the committing Magistrate may, in the discretion of the presiding Judge, be treated as evidence in the case, if it was duly taken in the presence of the accused person."

Amendment of section 263

21. In the fourth paragraph of section two hundred and sixty-three, after the word "verdict," the words "of the jurors or" shall be inserted; and for the fifth and sixth paragraphs of the same section the following shall be substituted (namely) :—

"If the Court disagrees with the verdict of the jurors,

jurors, or of a majority of the jurors, on all or any of the charges on which the prisoner has been tried, and considers it necessary for the ends of justice to do so, it may submit the case to the High Court. If the Court does so, it shall not record judgment of acquittal or of conviction on any of the charges on which the prisoner has been tried; but it may either remand him to custody or admit him to bail.

"The High Court shall deal with the case so submitted as it would deal with an appeal, but it may acquit or convict the accused person on the facts as well as law, without reference to the particular charges as to which the Court of Session may have disagreed with the verdict; and if it convict him, shall pass such sentence as might have been passed by the Court of Session."

Amendment of section 271.

22. For section two hundred and seventy-one, the following sections shall be substituted (namely):—

Appeal from sentence of Sessions Judge.

"271. Any person convicted on a trial held by a Sessions Judge may appeal to the High Court.

"An appeal may lie on a matter of fact as well as a matter of law, except where the conviction was in a trial by jury, in which case the appeal shall be admissible on a matter of law only."

Procedure in case of sentence of death.

"271A. When any such person is sentenced to death, the Sessions Court shall give him a copy of the sentence and inform him that, if he wishes to appeal, his appeal must be made within seven days; and the Court shall delay the transmission of the reference hereinafter required for a reasonable time not exceeding seven days to allow of the appeal and reference being made at the same time.

"When it appears that the execution of the sentence should not be delayed, the Sessions Court may forward the reference at once, recording its reasons for so doing."

Procedure where Judges of Court of appeal, &c., are equally divided.

"271B. Where the Judges composing the Court of appeal, reference or revision are equally divided, the case, with their opinions thereon, shall be laid before another Judge, and such Judge, after such examination and hearing as he thinks fit, shall deliver

his

his opinion, and the judgment or order shall follow such opinion."

Amendment of section 272.

23. In the second paragraph of section two hundred and seventy-two, for the words "and the rules of limitation shall not apply to appeals presented under this section," the following clause shall be substituted (namely):—"No appeal shall be presented under this section after six months from the date of the judgment complained of."

Amendment of section 274.

24. In the second clause of section two hundred and seventy-four, the last twenty words shall be omitted, and to the section the following explanation shall be added (namely):—

"EXPLANATION.—A sentence by which imprisonment is awarded in default of payment of fine, is not a sentence by which two or more punishments are combined, within the meaning of the second clause of this section."

Amendment of section 276.

25. For section two hundred and seventy-six, the following shall be substituted (namely):—

Copies of proceedings.

"276. If any person affected by a sentence or other order passed by a Criminal Court desires to have a copy of the Judge's charge to the jury or of any other proceeding not being the judgment or order provided for by section four hundred and sixty-four, he shall, on applying for such copy, be furnished therewith provided that he pay for the same, unless the Court, for some special reason, sees fit to furnish it free of cost."

Amendment of section 278.

26. To section two hundred and seventy-eight, the following clause shall be added (namely):—

"In rejecting an appeal under this section, the Appellate Court shall not enhance the sentence."

Amendment of section 279.

27. To section two hundred and seventy-nine, the following words shall be added (namely):—

"and, in cases under section two hundred and seventy-two, where the Appellate Court decides to hear the appeal, it shall also cause notice to be given to the respondent."

28. To

28. To the first clause of section two hundred and eighty, the following words shall be added (namely) :— Amendment of section 280.

"or order the appellant to be retried."

29. In the second paragraph of section two hundred and ninety-six, the words "Provided that" shall be omitted and the following words shall be added (namely) :—"upon the matter of such complaint or of which the accused person has been, in the opinion of the Court or Magistrate, improperly discharged. Amendment of section 296.

"Provided that, if in the opinion of such Court or Magistrate, the evidence shews that some other offence has been committed by the accused person, such Court or Magistrate may direct the Subordinate Court to inquire into such offence."

30. In the third paragraph of section two hundred and ninety-seven, for the word "inconveniently" the word "incorrectly" shall be substituted. Amendment of section 297.

31. For section two hundred and ninety-eight, the following shall be substituted (namely) :— Amendment of section 298.

"298. The High Court or the Court of Session may direct the Magistrate of the District, by himself or by any of the Magistrates subordinate to him,

"or the Magistrate of the District may direct any subordinate Magistrate,

"to make further inquiry into any complaint which has been dismissed under section one hundred and forty-seven."

32. For the fourth paragraph of section three hundred and two, the following section shall be substituted (namely) :— Amendment of section 302.

"302A. In cases tried by any Court inferior to a Court of Session, where the accused person is sentenced to imprisonment, the Court shall forthwith forward him with a similar warrant for the execution of the sentence to the officer in charge of the jail of the District in which the trial was held:

"But where the accused person is sentenced to whipping, the sentence may be executed at such place and time as the Court may direct."

33. In

Amendment of sections 311 and 312.

33. In the third paragraph of section three hundred and eleven, after the word "Magistrate," the words "or a Superintendent of a Jail" shall be inserted.

And in the first and second paragraphs of section three hundred and twelve, after the word "Magistrate," the words "or Superintendent" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 322

34. To the first clause of section three hundred and twenty-two the following words shall be added (namely), "or grant a reprieve or respite in respect of such sentence," and the following clauses shall be added to the same section (namely):—

"This section applies to all punishments inflicted by the High Court. Provided that nothing herein contained shall be deemed to interfere with the right of Her Majesty to grant pardons, reprieves, respites or remissions of punishment:

"When any fine or forfeiture is imposed on any person for any offence, the Governor General in Council or the Local Government may (subject to the provisions of section three hundred and eight) direct that a share or proportion of such fine be paid over to the prosecutor towards defraying his expenses, as the Governor General in Council or the Local Government thinks fit."

Amendment of section 330.

35. After the second paragraph of section three hundred and thirty, the following shall be inserted (namely):—

"If the witness is within the local limits of the ordinary original criminal jurisdiction of any of the High Courts of Judicature at Fort William, Madras and Bombay, the Court dispensing with his personal attendance may direct a commission to any Police Magistrate within such limits, and such Police Magistrate shall have the like power to compel the attendance and examination of witnesses as he possesses for that purpose in cases pending before him."

And in the third paragraph of the same section, for the words "to which," the words "upon which" shall

shall be substituted, and for the words "cause a return to be made," the words "shall examine the witness" shall be substituted, and after the word "Magistrate," the words "or Police Magistrate" shall be inserted.

And after the fourth paragraph of the same section, the following paragraph shall be inserted (namely):—

"After any commission issued under this section has been duly executed, it shall be returned, together with the deposition of the witness examined thereunder, to the Court out of which it issued; and the commission, the return thereto, and the deposition of such witness may be used as evidence in the case and shall form part of the record."

Amendment of section 379

36. In section three hundred and seventy-nine the following words shall be omitted (namely), "by or under the direction of an officer in charge of a Police-station, or by a Police officer making an investigation."

Amendment of section 398

37. In the second paragraph of section three hundred and ninety-eight, for the words "accused person," the words "party or witness" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 418

38. In section four hundred and eighteen, before the word "trial," the words "inquiry or" shall be inserted;

and to the same section the following explanation shall be added (namely):—

"EXPLANATION.—In this section the term 'property' includes not only such property as has been originally in the possession or under the control of any party, but also any property into or for which the same may have been converted or exchanged, and anything acquired by such conversion or exchange, whether immediately or otherwise."

Amendment of section 425

39 To section four hundred and twenty-five, the following clause shall be added (namely):—

"The trial of the fact of the unsoundness of mind of the accused person shall be deemed to be part of his trial before the Court."

40. For

Amendment of section 461.

40. For the first sentence of the illustration to section four hundred and fifty-one, the following shall be substituted (namely) :—

"A is convicted of an offence under section 196 of the Indian Penal Code upon a charge which omits to state that he knew the evidence which he corruptly used or attempted to use as true or genuine, was false or fabricated."

Amendment of section 464

41. For the second paragraph of section four hundred and sixty-four, the following shall be substituted (namely) :—

"The judgment or order shall be explained to the accused person or person affected by it, and on his application a copy thereof shall be given to him without delay free of cost and in his own language, if practicable, if not, in the language of the Court."

And to the seventh paragraph of the same section, the following words shall be added, (namely) :—

"where such error or defect is in a matter not affecting the merits of the case."

Addition to section 466

42. To section four hundred and sixty-six, the following clause shall be added (namely) :—

"In this section the expressions 'Judge' and 'public servant' shall be taken to have the meaning assigned to them respectively by the Indian Penal Code."

Chapter XXXVI applied to Presidency Towns

43 Chapter XXXVI *(Of the Dispersion of unlawful Assemblies)* shall be deemed to apply to the towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay, and the word "Magistrate," wherever it occurs in the said chapter, shall be deemed to include a Magistrate of Police.

Amendment of section 503

44. To section five hundred and three, the following words shall be added (namely) :—"And in case such penalty cannot be so recovered, the surety shall be liable, by order of such Magistrate, to imprisonment in the civil jail for a period not exceeding six months."

Correction of section 527

45. In section five hundred and twenty-seven, for the words "four hundred and twenty-one," the words

words "five hundred and twenty-one" shall be substituted.

46. In the third column of the fourth schedule to the Code of Criminal Procedure, opposite No. 323, for the words "Shall not arrest without warrant," the words "May arrest without warrant" shall be substituted; and opposite No. 428, for the word "Ditto," the words "May arrest without warrant" shall be substituted.

Amendment of schedule IV, column 3, Nos. 323 and 428

47. In this Act, "section" means section of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Interpretation of "section."

And all references to the Code of Criminal Procedure made in Acts heretofore passed or hereafter to be passed shall be read as if made to such Code as amended by this Act.

References to Code of Criminal Procedure

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ACT No. XII OF 1874.

PASSED BY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

(Received the assent of the Governor General on the 2nd September 1874)

An Act to provide for the exercise, in Sylhet, of the powers of the Lieutenant-Governor and Board of Revenue of Bengal.

Preamble

WHEREAS the District of Sylhet is about to be transferred from the Lieutenant-Governorship of Bengal to the Chief Commissionership of Assam, and it is therefore necessary to provide for the exercise, within the said District, of the powers now vested in or exercisable by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal and the Board of Revenue for the Lower Provinces of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal, respectively; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Powers of Lieutenant Governor and Board in Sylhet transferred to Governor General in Council

1. All powers over the whole or any portion of the said District, which at the time of the said transfer are, under or by virtue of any law or regulation, vested in, or exercisable by, the said Lieutenant-Governor or Board of Revenue, shall, on the said transfer, become vested in the Governor General in Council.

Delegation of such powers

2 The Governor General in Council may, from time to time, delegate to the Chief Commissioner of Assam all or any of the said powers, and withdraw any powers so delegated.

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ACT NO. XIII OF 1874.

PASSED BY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

(Received the assent of the Governor General on the 8th December 1874).

An Act to provide in the Panjáb and elsewhere for the guardianship of European British Minors.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide in the Panjáb, Oudh, the Central Provinces, British Burma, Coorg, Ajmer and Mairwára and Assam for the guardianship of minors who either are born in the United Kingdom or any British colony, or are the children or grandchildren of persons so born; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

PART I.

PRELIMINARY.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The European British Minors Act, 1874:"

Local extent.

It extends to the territories respectively subject to the government of the Lieutenant-Governor of the Panjáb and to the administration of the Chief Commissioners of Oudh, the Central Provinces, British Burma, Coorg, Ajmer and Mairwára and Assam;

Personal application.

So far as relates to minors, it applies only to persons born in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, or any British colony, plantation or settlement other than British India, and to their children and grandchildren;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force at once.

Interpretation-clause.

2. In this Act—

'Minor.'

'Minor' means a person who has not completed the age of eighteen years;

'Guardian'

Guardian

'Guardian' means a person who is appointed to take care of a minor's person or property, or both; and

'Court.'

'Court' means the highest civil Court of appeal in any territory (other than British Burma) to which this Act extends.

In British Burma 'Court' means, in the Town of Rangoon, the Court of the Recorder of Rangoon, and, elsewhere, the Court of the Deputy Commissioner.

PART II.

APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIANS.

Appointment by parent.

3. A guardian of the person or property, or both, of any minor may be appointed by will or other instrument to take effect upon the death of the parent appointing—

(*a*) if the minor is legitimate, by the father, or by either parent if the other is dead or incapable of acting;

(*b*) if the minor is illegitimate, by the mother.

Appointment by Court.

4. If the Court within the local limits of whose jurisdiction any minor resides finds that the guardianship of his person or property has not been sufficiently provided for under section three, the Court may appoint a guardian of his person or property, or both, as the case may be.

If the minor has several properties, the Court may, if it think fit, appoint a guardian for each such property.

If the Court appoints a guardian for any property situate beyond the local limits of its jurisdiction, the Court within the local limits of whose jurisdiction such property may be situate shall accept such guardian as duly appointed and give effect to the order appointing him.

Application for appointment.

5. Whoever desires to be appointed the guardian of a minor's person or property, or both, may apply to the Court within the local limits of whose jurisdiction the minor resides by petition setting forth the grounds of his application, and showing—

(*a*) the minor's age and residence;

(*b*) the

(*b*) the nature and amount of his property;

(*c*) what relatives he has in India or elsewhere, and

(*d*) the qualifications of the proposed guardian and his willingness to act as such.

Stamp.

The petition shall bear a stamp of five rupees, and the statements therein contained shall be verified by the petitioner or some other competent person in manner required by law for the verification of plaints, and may at the hearing be referred to as evidence.

Verification.

Notice of application.

The Court, if satisfied that there is ground for proceeding, shall give notice of the application to the person (if any) named in the petition as having the custody or being in possession of the person or property of such minor, as well as to any other person whom the Court may think should receive such notice, and shall fix as early a day as may be convenient for the hearing of the petition.

Production of minor

6. The Court may direct that the person (if any) having the custody of such minor shall produce him at such place and time as may be appointed by the Court, and may make such order for the temporary custody and protection of the minor's person or property as may appear proper.

Evidence of fitness

7. On the day fixed for the hearing of the petition or as soon after as may be practicable, the petitioner shall adduce evidence to shew the fitness of the proposed guardian;

and the Court shall make such order as it thinks fit in respect to the guardianship of the minor's person or property, or both, and the costs of the case.

Procedure.

8. In cases instituted under this Act, the Court shall be guided by the procedure prescribed in the Code of Civil Procedure in so far as the same is applicable; and any order made by the Court under section six or section seven may be enforced as if such order had been made in a regular suit or on appeal; and all orders made under this Act by Deputy Commissioners in British Burma shall be appealable as if they were decrees.

Forms.

The forms set forth in the schedule hereto annexed, with such variation as the circumstances of each case require,

require, may be used for the respective purposes mentioned in such schedule.

Subsidiary rules.

And the Court may from time to time prescribe rules consistent with this Act for regulating the procedure hereunder:

Provided that, in the case of Courts of Deputy Commissioners in British Burma, such rules shall be prescribed by the Judicial Commissioner.

Orders under this Act not to be contested

9. Save as provided by section eight, no order passed under this Act in respect to the guardianship of a minor's person or property shall be liable to be contested in any other proceeding.

Rules for awarding custody of minor.

10. In appointing the guardian of a minor, the Court shall be guided by the following considerations:—

(*a*)—By what appears to be for the best interest of the minor in respect to his temporal and his mental and moral welfare; and if the minor is old enough to form an intelligent preference, the Court may consider that preference:

(*b*)—As between parents adversely claiming the custody or guardianship, neither parent is entitled to it as of right; but if, other things being equal, the minor is of tender years, he should be given to the mother; if he is of an age to require education and preparation for labour and business, then to the father:

(*c*)—The Court shall also consider the following circumstances according as they may bear upon the guardianship of person or of property:—

(1) Nearness of relationship;

(2) The wishes of a deceased parent;

(3) Any existing or previous connection of the proposed guardian with the minor's person or property.

PART III.

GUARDIANS' DUTIES, RIGHTS AND LIABILITIES.

A.—Guardians of the Person.

Duties of guardian of the person

11. A guardian of the person is charged with the custody of the ward, and must look to his support, health and education.

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12. A ward is presumed to be of his father's religion; and the guardian, in the absence of the Court's direction to the contrary, must train the ward in such religion. If the ward is old enough to form an intelligent preference for any religion, the Court, in giving such direction, shall attend to such preference. Ward's religion.

13. Any ward who may desert his home may be compelled by order of the Court to return. But such order may be withheld by the Court if it appear— Guardian entitled to custody of ward.

(*a*) that the ward has been subjected to maltreatment at the hands of his guardian;

(*b*) that the conduct of the guardian in other respects renders him unfit for the office, or

(*c*) that the ward is on reasonable grounds unwilling to return and is old enough to form an intelligent preference on such a subject.

14. No guardian of the person appointed by the Court shall, without the leave of the Court, remove its ward from the limits of its jurisdiction. Removal of ward from jurisdiction.

Any person wilfully contravening this prohibition shall be liable by order of the Court to fine not exceeding one thousand rupees, or to imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or to both.

B.—Guardians of Property.

15. A guardian of the property shall keep safely the property of his ward. Duties of guardian of property

In the case of immoveable property, he shall not suffer any waste, but shall maintain the buildings (if any) thereon and their appurtenances out of the rents and profits of the property. Prohibition of waste.

16. The guardian of any immoveable property may make leases for any term not exceeding a year, or from year to year, of such property or any part thereof; and with the sanction of the Court, may make such lease of the property, or any part thereof, for such term of years and subject to such rents and covenants as the Court may direct; but in no such case shall any fine or premium be taken. Power to lease.

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The lease shall be settled by an officer of the Court, and a counterpart thereof shall be executed by the lessee, and shall be deposited for safe custody in the Court until the ward completes the age of eighteen years; but all proper parties shall have the use thereof, if necessary, for the purpose of enforcing any covenant therein contained.

Power to use principal for ward's maintenance, &c

17. The Court may order that the principal of the ward's property, or any part thereof, shall be applied for his maintenance, education, or advancement, and the guardian of such property shall obey such order.

Rules as to guardians of property

18. Every guardian of the property of a minor shall—

(*a*) give such security, if any, as the Court thinks fit duly to account for what he shall receive in respect of the minor's property;

(*b*) pass his accounts at such periods and in such form as the Court directs;

(*c*) pay the balance due from him thereon;

(*d*) be entitled to such allowance, if any, as the Court thinks fit for his care and pains in the execution of his duties;

(*e*) be responsible for any loss occasioned to the property by his wilful default or gross negligence.

C.—As to all Guardians.

Minor guardians incompetent to act

19. No person appointed a guardian shall be competent to act as such unless he has completed the age of eighteen years.

Guardian under control of Court.

20. Every guardian, whether appointed by a parent or under this Act by a Court, is subject to the control of the Court within the local limits of whose jurisdiction he resides.

Death of joint guardian.

21. On the death of one of two or more joint guardians, whether appointed by a parent or under this Act, the power continues to the survivor or survivors until a further appointment is made by the Court.

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22. A guardian may be removed by the Court for any of the following causes:— Removal of guardian.

(*a*) for abuse of his trust;

(*b*) for continued failure to perform its duties;

(*c*) for incapacity to perform its duties;

(*d*) for gross immorality;

(*e*) for having an interest adverse to the faithful performance of his duties;

(*f*) for removal from the local limits of the jurisdiction of the Court;

(*g*) the arrival within such local limits of some person whose guardianship the Court may think likely to be more beneficial to the minor than the guardianship of the person so removed;

(*h*) in the case of a guardian of the property, for insolvency.

In any such case the Court may appoint a successor to the guardian so removed. Appointment of successor.

23. Any guardian, whether appointed by a parent or by the Court, desiring to resign his office may apply to the Court to discharge him, Resignation of guardian.

and if the Court finds that there is some other proper person whom it may appoint to such guardianship, it shall discharge the guardian accordingly and appoint such other proper person in his place.

24. Applications for appointments under section twenty-two or section twenty-three shall be made in manner provided in section five; and the procedure thereon shall be in accordance with section seven. Application for appointment on guardian's removal or resignation.

25. The power of a guardian of the person ceases— Close of authority of guardian.

(*a*) by his removal or discharge;

(*b*) by the ward's attaining majority, and,

(*c*) in the case of a female ward, by her marriage followed by cohabitation.

The power of a guardian of the property ceases—

(*a*) by his removal or discharge;

(*b*) by the ward's attaining majority.

SCHEDULE.

SCHEDULE.

I.—Petition for Appointment of Guardian.

(*See section* 5).

In the Chief Court of the Panjáb [*or* In the Court of the Recorder of Rangoon, *or as the case may be*].

In the matter of *A. B.*, a minor, by *C. D.*, his next friend.

To Mr. Justice (*or as the case may be*).

The petition of *C. D.* of

Sheweth—

1. The said *A. B.* is now of the age of years and upwards. He is the same person as '*A*, son of *C.* and *L. B.*' named in the paper-writing now produced and shown to me and marked *A*, and purporting to be a copy under the seal of the General Register Office of the entry No. in the certified copy of entries of births in the district of *D*, in the county of *L*, for the year 187

2. The said *A. B.* is absolutely entitled, under the will of *his maternal uncle E. F.*, late of (*residence and addition*) to the following properties (namely) :—

(*a*) a house in let to *N. O.* as yearly tenant at Rs. 1,000 a year.

(*b*) Rs. 20,000 in the four per cent. securities of the Government of India, standing in the names of *R. S.* and *T. W.*, the trustees of the will of the said *E. F.*

(*c*) Rs. 800 cash in the hands of the said *R. S.* and *T. W.*, arisen from dividends on the said stock.

3. The only relations of the said *A. B.* now living are—(*a*), your petitioner, his maternal uncle; (*b*)—*S. H.*, wife of *T. H.* of (*residence and addition*), the half-sister of the said *A. B.*, and (*c*) —*R. D. V.*, the half-brother of the said *A. B.*, who is a Captain in Her Majesty's Army, and now stationed at Bombay.

4. The said *A. B.* was, at the time of the death of his father, *C. B.*, which happened on the 187 , and is now, residing as a scholar at Bishop Cotton's School, Simla, in the custody of the Rev. *M. N.*, the headmaster.

5. Your petitioner [*here state his qualifications as guardian, e.g., that he has attained his majority, is married, has children, resides with his family at some reasonably healthy place, mentioning it, holds a responsible office, stating it*], and is willing to act as the guardian of the person and property [*or as may be*] of the said *A. B.* during his minority in case this Hon'ble Court shall think fit to appoint me to that office.

Your

Your petitioner therefore prays this Hon'ble Court—

1. That your petitioner or some other proper person may, upon giving security, be appointed the guardian of the person and property of the said *A. B.* during his minority, or until further order.

2. And that the said *C. D.* or other such guardian may from time to time pass his accounts and pay the balances which shall be certified to be due from him into the Government Treasury to the credit of this matter, and that such balances may be laid out in securities of the Government of India, or in loans or bonds secured by the Imperial Parliament on the revenues of India, or in debentures of railways guaranteed by the Government of India, and the interest to accrue thereon and all accumulations of interest be laid out in like manner.

3. And that the costs of this petition may be taxed as between attorney and client; and that the said *C. D.* or other such guardian may retain and pay the same out of any monies of the said minor which may come to his hands and be allowed the same on passing his said accounts.

(Signed) *C. D.*

Form of Verification.

(*See section* 5).

I, *C. D.*, the petitioner named in the above petition, do declare that what is stated therein is true to the best of my information and belief.

II.—Affidavit of Fitness of Guardian.

(*See section* 7).

In the Chief Court, &c., (*or as the case may be*).

In the matter of *A. B.*, a minor, by *C. D.*, his next friend.

I, E. F., of (*residence and addition*), make oath and say as follows:—

1. I know and have for years past been well acquainted with *C. D.*, the petitioner in this matter.

2. The said *C. D.* is married and has children, namely, a son of the age of years and daughters of the respective ages of and years.

3. The said *C. D.* resides with his wife and children at

4. In my judgment and belief the said *C. D.* is a fit and proper person to be appointed guardian of the person and property of his nephew, the said minor *A. B.*, for the following reasons (*state them*) :—

Sworn at , this day of 187 , before me

E. F.

(*Official character and description of E. F.*)

III.—Recognizance

III.—Recognizance by a Guardian of property and his surety, after an order appointing him subject to his giving security.

Stamp
as in case of
a bond.

(*Short title.*)
The senior Judge of the Chief Court of the Punjab [*or as the case may be*] has approved of and allowed this recognizance.
X. Y.,
Registrar.

C. D., (*the principal*), of (*residence and addition*), and *L. M.* (*the surety*) acknowledge themselves and each of them acknowledges himself to owe to the Secretary of State for India in Council the sum of Rs. [*to be regulated by the sum which the guardian is likely to receive during the currency of his periodical account*] to be paid to the said Secretary of State for India in Council; and unless they pay the same, they, the said *C. D.* and *L. M.*, do and each of them doth grant for himself, his executors and administrators that the said sum shall be levied and received from them and each of them and from their and his moveable and immoveable property.

Dated the day of 187

WHEREAS, by an order of the Court of , made by (*name the Judge*), in a certain matter there depending, intituled 'In the matter of ' [*Recite the order appointing the guardian, subject to his giving security and continue thus*] : —

And whereas (*name the Judge who has approved of the surety and recognizance*) has approved of the above-bounden *L. M.* as surety for the said *C. D.*, and hath also approved of the above written recognizance with the under-written condition as a proper security to be entered into by the said *C. D.* and *L. M.* pursuant to the said order, and in testimony of the said approbation, the Registrar [*or as the case may be*] of the said Court hath signed an allowance in the margin thereof.

Now the condition of the above-written recognizance is such, that if the said *C. D.* shall duly account for every sum of money which he shall receive on account of the property of the said minor *A. B.* and the rents and profits and other income thereof, at such periods as the said Judge shall appoint, and shall duly pay the balances which shall from time to time be certified to be due

due from him as the said Court or Judge hath directed, or shall hereafter direct, then the above recognizance shall be void, otherwise the same shall remain in force.

C. D. } Taken and acknowledged by the above-named *C. D.*
L. M. } and *L. M.*, at in this day of
187 before me

(*Signature and style of office of the officer by whom the recognizance is taken.*)

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ACT No. XIV of 1874.

PASSED BY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

(Received the assent of the Governor General on the 8th December 1871)

An Act to ascertain the enactments in force in various parts of British India, and for other purposes.

Preamble.

WHEREAS various parts of British India have never been brought within, or have from time to time been removed from, the operation of the general Acts and Regulations and the jurisdiction of the ordinary Courts of Judicature;

And whereas doubts have arisen in some cases as to which Acts or Regulations are in force in such parts, and in other cases as to what are the boundaries of such parts: And whereas among such parts are the territories specified in the first schedule hereto annexed, and it is expedient to provide readier means than now exist for ascertaining the enactments in force in such territories and the boundaries thereof, and for administering the law therein:

And whereas it is expedient to declare that certain Acts are in force in a tract of land lying between the Railway Station at Satná and the eastern boundary of the Jabalpur Division:—

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Scheduled Districts Act, 1874:"

Local extent

This Act extends in the first instance to the whole of British India other than the territories mentioned in the first schedule hereto annexed, and it shall come into force in each of the Scheduled Districts on the issue of a notification under section three relating to such District.

In

[*Price two annas and nine pies.*]

Interpretation-clause

In this Act the term "Scheduled Districts" means the territories mentioned in the first schedule hereto annexed; and, from the date fixed in the resolution next hereinafter mentioned, it shall also include any other territory to which the Secretary of State for India, by resolution in Council, may declare the provisions of the thirty-third of Victoria, chapter three, section one, to be applicable.

Repeal of enactments

2. The enactments mentioned in the second schedule hereto annexed shall be repealed.

Notification of enactments in force in Scheduled Districts.

3. The Local Government, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, may from time to time, by notification in the *Gazette of India* and also in the local Gazette (if any)—

(*a*) declare what enactments are actually in force in any of the Scheduled Districts, or in any part of any such District,

(*b*) declare of any enactment that it is not actually in force in any of the said Districts or in any part of any such District,

(*c*) correct any mistake of fact in any notification issued under this section:

Provided that a declaration once made under clause (*a*) or clause (*b*) of this section shall not be altered by any subsequent declaration other than a declaration under clause (*c*) of this section.

Effect of notification under section 3

4. On the issue, under section three, of a notification declaring what enactments are in force, or not in force, in any Scheduled District, the enactments so notified shall be deemed to be in force or not in force, according to the tenor of the notification, in such District, and every such notification shall be binding on all Courts of law.

Power to extend enactments to Scheduled Districts

5. The Local Government, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, may from time to time, by notification in the *Gazette of India* and also in the local Gazette (if any), extend to any of the Scheduled Districts, or to any part of any such District, any enactment which is in force in any part of British India at the date of such extension.

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6. The Local Government may from time to time— Appointment of officers and regulation of their procedure.

(*a*) appoint officers to administer civil and criminal justice and to superintend the settlement and collection of the public revenue, and all matters relating to rent, and otherwise to conduct the administration, within the Scheduled Districts,

(*b*) regulate the procedure of the officers so appointed; but not so as to restrict the operation of any enactment for the time being in force in any of the said Districts,

(*c*) direct by what authority any jurisdiction, powers or duties incident to the operation of any enactment for the time being in force in such District shall be exercised or performed.

7. All rules heretofore prescribed by the Governor General in Council or the Local Government for the guidance of officers appointed within any of the Scheduled Districts for all or any of the purposes mentioned in section six and in force at the time of the passing of this Act, shall continue to be in force unless and until the Governor General in Council or the Local Government, as the case may be, otherwise directs. Continuance of existing rules and officers.

All existing officers so appointed previous to the date on which this Act comes into force in such District, shall be deemed to have been appointed hereunder.

8. Whenever any question arises as to the line of boundary between any of the Scheduled Districts and other territory, such officer as the Local Government or (where the said District and the other territory are not subject to the same Local Government) as the Governor General in Council from time to time appoints, may consider and determine such line of boundary; Settlement of questions as to boundary.

and the order made thereon by such officer, if confirmed by the Government which appointed him, shall be conclusive in all Courts of Justice.

9. Any person liable to be imprisoned or to be transported beyond sea under any order or sentence passed by any officer appointed under section six, may Place of imprisonment or transportation.

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(subject to such rules as the Governor General in Council may from time to time prescribe in this behalf) be imprisoned in such jail or transported to such place as the Local Government directs.

Extension to Satná strip of Acts relating to public gambling, pándhari tax and salt.

10. Acts No III of 1867, No. XIV of 1867, ~~and No. XXII of 1869~~ are hereby declared to be in force in the tract of land ceded to the British Government in the year 1863 and lying between the Railway Station at Satná and the eastern boundary of the Jabalpur District.

Saving of criminal jurisdiction over European British subjects.

11. Nothing contained in this Act or in any notification issued under the powers hereby conferred shall be deemed—

(*a*) to affect the criminal jurisdiction of any Court over European British subjects, or

(*b*) to affect any law other than laws contained in Acts or Regulations or in rules made in exercise of powers conferred by such Acts or Regulations.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

(*See section* 1).

PART I

SCHEDULED DISTRICTS, MADRAS

I.—*In Ganjam.*

(1) The Gumsur Mahahs, including Chokapad.
(2) The Surada Mahahs
(3) The Chinna Kimedi Mahahs.
(4) The Pedda Kimedi Mahahs
(5) The Bodaguda Mahahs
(6) The Surangi Mahahs
(7) The Parla Kimedi Mahahs.
(8.) The Muttás of Koradá and Ronaba (otherwise called Srikarma).
~~(9) The Chaghatra Mahah.~~
(10) The Juradá Mahah.
(11) The Jalantra Mahah.
(12) The Mandasa Mahah.
(13) The Budarasinghi Mahah.
(14.) The Kuttingia Mahah.

II.—*In Vizagapatam.*

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(1.) The Jeypur Zamíndárí.
(2.) Golconda Hills, west of the River Boderu.
(3.) The Madugol Maliahs.
(4.) The Kasipur Zamíndárí.
(5.) The Panchipenta Maliahs.
(6.) Mondemkolla, in the Merangi Zamíndárí.
(7.) ~~The Konda Muttá of Belgám.~~
(8.) The Gumma and Konda Muttás of Kurpam.
(9.) The Kottam, Rám and Konda Muttás of Pálkonda.

III.—*In the Godávari District.*

(1.) The Bhadráchalam Táluq.
(2.) The Rákapilli Táluq.
(3.) The Rampá Country.

IV.—*In the Indian Ocean.*

The Laccadive Islands, including Minicoy.

PART II.

Scheduled Districts, Bombay.

I.—The Province of Sindh.

II.—The Panch Maháls.

III.—Aden.

IV.—The villages belonging to the following Mehwassi Chiefs :—

(1.) The Párví of Káthí.
(2.) The Párví of Nál.
(3.) The Párví of Singpúr.
(4.) Walwi of Gaohálli.
(5.) The Wassáwa of Chikhlí.
(6.) The Párví of Nawalpúr.

PART III.

Scheduled Districts, Bengal.

I.—The Jalpáigorí and Darjeeling ~~Divisions.~~

II.—The Hill Tracts of Chittagong.

III.—The Santhál Parganas.

IV.—The Chutiá Nágpur Division.

V.—The Maháls of Angúl and Banki.

PART IV.

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SCHEDULED DISTRICTS, NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES.

I.—~~The Jhánsi Division, comprising the Districts of Jhánsi~~ Jalaun and Lalatpur.

II.—The Province of Kumáon and Garhwál.

III.—The Terai Parganas, comprising—Bázpúr, Káshípúr Jaspúr, Rudarpúr, Gadarpúr, Kilpúrí, Nának-Mattha and Bilherí.

IV.—In the Mirzapur District—

(1.) The tappás of Agori Khás and South Kon in the Pargana of Agori.

(2.) The tappá of British Singrauli in the Pargana of Singrauli.

(3.) The tappás of Phulwá, Dudhi and Barhá in the Pargana of Bichipár.

(4.) The portion lying to the South of the Kaimor Range.

V.—The Family Domains of the Mahárájá of Benares, comprising the following parganas :—

Bhadohi and Kheyra Mángror in the Mirzapur District, Kaswá Rájá in the Benares District.

VI.—The tract of country known as Jaunsar Báwar in the Dehra Dún District.

PART V.

SCHEDULED DISTRICTS, PANJÁB.

The Districts of Hazára, Pesháwar, Kohát, Bannu, Dera Ismail Khán, Dera Gházi Khán, Lahaul and Spiti.

PART VI.

SCHEDULED DISTRICTS, CENTRAL PROVINCES.

Chhattisgarh Zamindáris, viz. :—

1. Khariár.
2. Bindrá Nawágarh.
3. Sahezpúr.
4. Gándai.
5. Silhetí.
6. Barbaspúr.
7. Thákurtolá.
8. Lohárá.
9. Gondardehí.
10. Fingeswar.
11. Pándariá.
12. Pendrá.
13. Mátín.
14. Uprorá.
15. Kendá.
16. Láphá.
17. Chhúrí.
18. Korbá.
19. Chapá.
20. Borá Sámbhar.
21. Phúljhar.
22. Kolábirá.
23. Rámpúr.

Chándá

Chándá Zamíndárís.

1. Ahírí.
2. Ámbágarh Chaukí.
3. Áundhí.
4. Dhanorá.
5. Dúdhmálé.
6. Gewardá.
7. Jhárápáprá.
8. Khutgáon.
9. Korráchá.
10. Kotgal.
11. Murampáon.
12. Pánábáras.
13. Palasgarh.
14. Rángí.
15. Sirsundí.
16. Sonsarí.
17. Chándálá.
18. Gilgáon.
19. Páwí Mutándá.
20. Pateghon.

Chhindwárá Jágírdáríes.

1. Haraí.
2. Chháter.
3. Gorakhghát.
4. Gorpání.
5. Baktágarh.
6. Bardágarh.
7. Pachmarhí.
8. Partábgarh.
9. Almod.
10. Sonpúr.
11. Bariám Pagárú.

PART VII.

The Chief Commissionership of Coorg.

PART VIII.

The Chief Commissionership of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands.

PART IX.

The Chief Commissionership of Ajmer and Mairwára.

PART X.

The Chief Commissionership of Assam.

PART XI.

The Hill Tracts of Arakan.

PART XII.

The Pargana of Mánpur.

PART XIII.

The Cantonment of Morar.

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

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(*See section* 2).

Number and year.	Title.
XI of 1840 ...	An Act for the exemption of certain Territory in the Province of Candeish and the Zillah Ahmednuggur from the operation of the General Regulations.
XXXVII of 1855 ...	An Act to remove from the operation of the general Laws and Regulations certain Districts inhabited by Sonthals and others, and to place the same under the superintendence of an Officer to be specially appointed for that purpose.
X of 1857 ..	An Act to amend Act XXXVII of 1855.
XXII of 1860 ...	An Act to remove certain tracts on the Eastern border of the Chittagong District from the jurisdiction of the tribunals established under the general Regulations and Acts.
XIV of 1861	An Act to remove certain tracts of Country in the Rohilcund Division from the jurisdiction of the tribunals established under the general Regulations and Acts.
XIX of 1864	An Act to remove certain tracts of Country in the District of Mirzapore from the jurisdiction of the local Courts.
IV of 1868	An Act to exempt certain villages in the Bombay Presidency from the operation of the Regulations and Acts in force in that Presidency.
XXII of 1869 ...	An Act to remove the Gáro Hills from the jurisdiction of the tribunals established under the General Regulations and Acts and for other purposes.
	BENGAL ACT.
IV of 1863	An Act to amend Act XXII of 1860 (to remove certain tracts on the eastern border of the Chittagong District from the jurisdiction of the tribunals established under the general Regulations and Acts).

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ACT No. XV of 1874.

PASSED BY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

(Received the assent of the Governor General on the 8th December 1874).

An Act for declaring the local extent of certain Enactments, and for other purposes.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to declare the local extent of certain Acts passed by the Governor General of India in Council, the Legislative Council of India, and the Council of the Governor General of India assembled for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations; And whereas it is also expedient to consolidate the laws relating to the local extent of certain Acts and Regulations in the Presidencies of Fort St. George and Bombay, and in the Lower and the North-Western Provinces of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal; It is hereby declared and enacted as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Laws Local Extent Act, 1874."

Interpretation-clause.

2. In this Act the expression "Scheduled Districts" means the territories mentioned in the sixth schedule hereto annexed.

Local extent of Acts in first schedule.

3. The Acts mentioned in the first schedule hereto annexed are now in force throughout the whole of British India, except the Scheduled Districts.

Local extent of enactments in second schedule.

4. The enactments mentioned in the second schedule hereto annexed are now in force throughout the whole of the territories now subject to the government of the Governor of Fort St. George in Council, except the Scheduled Districts subject to such government.

Local extent of enactments in third schedule.

5. The enactments mentioned in the third schedule hereto annexed are now in force throughout the whole

[*Price six annas.*]

whole of the territories now subject to the government of the Governor of Bombay in Council, except the Scheduled Districts subject to such government.

Local extent of enactments in fourth schedule.

6. The enactments mentioned in the fourth schedule hereto annexed are now in force throughout the whole of the territories now subject to the government of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, except the Scheduled Districts subject to such government.

Local extent of enactments in fifth schedule.

7. The enactments mentioned in the fifth schedule hereto annexed are now in force throughout the whole of the territories now subject to the government of the Lieutenant-Governor of the North-Western Provinces of the Presidency of Fort William, except the Scheduled Districts subject to such government.

Savings.

8. Nothing herein contained shall—

(*a*) bar the power of the Governor General in Council or the Local Government, under any law for the time being in force, to extend to any place any Act mentioned in the said first schedule;

(*b*) extend any Act empowering the Local Government to extend the same or any part thereof, or affect in any manner the exercise of such power;

(*c*) affect the operation of any Act or Regulation heretofore extended to or declared to be in force in any of the Scheduled Districts;

(*d*) revive any enactment which has been repealed either generally or with reference to some special subject;

(*e*) extend Madras Regulation VII of 1832 to any place in which Madras Act I of 1866 is in force;

(*f*) extend Act No. XVII of 1850, or Act No. VII of 1859, or Madras Regulation I of 1805, or Madras Regulation II of 1807, to any place in which Madras Act No. VI of 1871 is in force;

(*g*) extend Act No. IX of 1861 to any part of the the territories subject to the government of the Governor of Bombay in Council;

(*h*) extend

(*h*) extend Act No. XI of 1841, or No. XII of 1842, to any place in which Bombay Act No. III of 1867 is in force;

(*i*) extend to the Villages mentioned in the schedule to Act No. IV of 1868 any law not now in force therein;

(*j*) extend to any of the Towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay any law not now in force therein;

(*k*) affect the operation of any enactment not mentioned in any of the schedules hereto annexed.

Enactments repealed.

9. The enactments mentioned in the seventh schedule hereto annexed shall be repealed to the extent specified in the third column thereof.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

(*See section* 3).

ACTS OF THE SUPREME COUNCIL.

YEAR AND NUMBER.		SUBJECT.
1836,	XXVI	Governor General's Camp Police.
1837,	IV	Power to acquire land.
1838,	XXV	Wills executed before the 1st January 1866.
1839,	XXIX	Dower, when marriage was contracted before 1st January 1866.
"	XXX	Inheritance, where descent took place before 1st January 1866.
"	XXXII	Interest.
1840,	VI	Bills of Exchange.
1841,	X	Registration of ships.
"	XI	Military Courts of Requests.
"	XVIII	Exportation of Military Stores.
"	XIX	Curators in cases of successions.
1842	IX	Lease and Release.
"	XII	Military Bázárs.
1843,	V	Slavery.
1847,	XX	Copyright.
1850,	V	Coasting Trade.
"	XI	Navigation Laws.
"	XII	Default of Public Accountants.
"	XVIII	Protection of Judicial Officers.

FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued.*

ACTS OF THE SUPREME COUNCIL—*continued.*

YEAR AND NUMBER.		SUBJECT.
1850,	XIX ...	Binding of Apprentices.
„	XXI ...	Non-forfeiture of rights by loss of Caste.
„	XXXIV ...	State Prisoners.
„	XXXVII ...	Inquiries into the behaviour of public servants.
1852,	XXX ...	Naturalization of Aliens.
„	XXXIII ...	Enforcement of Judgments of Charter Courts and Military Courts of Requests.
1853,	II ...	Burdens on land.
1854,	XVIII ...	Railways.
„	XXXI ...	Barring entails: Conveyances by married women.
1855,	XI ...	Mesne profits and improvements.
„	XII ...	Executors and Administrators.
„	XIII ...	Compensation for loss occasioned by death caused by actionable wrong.
„	XXIII ...	Administration of mortgaged estates in cases of descents occurring or devises made before the 1st January 1856.
„	XXIV ...	Penal servitude.
„	XXVIII ...	Interest.
1856,	IX ...	Bills of Lading.
„	XI ...	Desertion by European Soldiers.
„	XV ...	Marriage of Hindú Widows.
1857,	XI ...	Offences against the State.
„	XXV ...	Forfeiture by Mutineers.
1858,	III ...	State Prisoners.
„	XXXV ...	Estates of Lunatics not subject to jurisdiction of Supreme Courts.
„	XXXVI ...	Lunatic Asylums.
1859,	I ...	Merchant Seamen.
„	III ...	Cantonment Joint Magistrates.
„	VIII ...	Civil Procedure.
„	IX ...	Sections 16, 17, 18 and 20—Forfeitures.
„	XIV (sec. 15)	Suits to recover possession of land.
„	XV ...	Patents.
1860,	XXI ...	Registration of Societies.
„	XXVII ...	Collection of debts on Successions.
1861,	IX ...	Minors.
„	XXIII ...	Amending Civil Procedure Code.
1862,	III ...	Government Seal.
1863,	VI ...	Sea Customs.
„	XVI ...	Excise Duty payable on Spirits used in Arts and Manufactures.

FIRST SCHEDULE—*concluded.*

Acts of the Supreme Council—*concluded.*

Year and Number.		Subject.
1863,	XXIII	Claims to waste-lands.
,,	XXXI	Gazette of India.
1864,	III	Foreigners.
,,	VI	Whipping.
1865,	III	Common Carriers.
,,	XI	Mofussil Courts of Small Causes.
,,	XV	Marriage and Divorce among Parsees.
,,	XXI	Intestate succession among Parsees.
1866,	V	Bills of Exchange, Commercial Law.
,,	X	Companies.
,,	XXI	Dissolution of Marriages of Native Converts.
,,	XXVIII	Trustees and Mortgagees' Powers.
1867,	X	References by Courts of Small Causes in the Mofussil.
,,	XXV	Printing Presses, &c.
1868,	IX	Amending Consolidated Customs Act.
1869,	XV	Evidence of Prisoners.
1870,	I	Quarantine.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

(See section 4).

(*a.*)—Madras Regulations.

Year and Number.		Subject.
1802,	III (ss. 1, 11, part of s. 16 only).	Procedure of Civil Courts.
,,	V (s. 30) ...	Sadr Adálat to act according to justice, &c.
,,	XIII	Records of Courts.
,,	XIX (s. 2) ...	Covenanted Civil Servants forbidden to lend.
,,	XXV	Settlement of Land-revenue.
,,	XXVI (ss. 1, 2 & 3 only).	Registration of málguzárí land.
,,	XXIX	Karnams.
1803,	I	Board of Revenue.
,,	II	Conduct of Collectors, &c.
1804,	V	Court of Wards.
1805,	I	Salt-revenue.

SECOND SCHEDULE—*continued.*

(*a*).—MADRAS REGULATIONS—*continued.*

YEAR AND NUMBER.		SUBJECT.
1806,	II (~~parts of ss. 1 & 7~~).	Collectors and Karnams.
1807,	II	Salt-revenue.
1808,	VII	Martial Law.
1816,	IV	Village Munsifs.
„	V	Village Panchâyats.
„	IX (s. 43 only) ...	Prosecution of Zila Magistrates.
„	XI	Sections 8, 9, 10—Heads of villages: Section 11, cl. 1—Stolen property: Section 13—Discovery of corpses: Section 14—Register of persons confined by heads of villages; and Section 47—Magistrates charged with maintenance of peace.
„	XII ...	Reference of claims regarding land and produce to Village and District Panchâyats.
„	XIV ...	Native Pleaders.
1817,	VII ...	Maintenance of Bridges, &c.; Escheats.
„	VIII (s. 9 only). ...	Sale for arrears of revenue of estate belonging to Native Officer or Soldier.
1819,	I ...	Land-revenue.
„	II ...	State Prisoners.
1821,	IV (s. 4) ...	Petty Thefts.
1822,	IV ...	Explanation of Madras Regulation XXV, 1802.
„	VII (cl. 1 of s. 3 only).	Native Officers in Revenue and other Public Departments.
„	IX ... }	Embezzlement by public servants and malversation in revenue matters.
1823,	III ... }	
1828,	VII ...	Powers of Subordinate and Assistant Collectors.
1829,	V ...	Hindú Wills and Estates.
1830,	I ...	Prohibition of Widow-burning.
1831,	III ...	Unlawful assemblies; threatening Officers; ryots refusing to attend at annual settlement.
„	V (s. 7, cl. 2 only).	Liability of Ministerial Officers for reception of improperly stamped document.
„	VI ...	Hereditary Village Offices.
„	X ...	Prohibition of Sale of Estates of Minors for Arrears of Revenue.
1832,	III ...	Limitation for Suits against orders of Revenue Authorities under Madras Regulation VII of 1828.

SECOND SCHEDULE—*concluded*

(*a*)—MADRAS REGULATIONS—*concluded*

YEAR AND NUMBER		SUBJECT
1832	VII	Cantonments
"	XI	Hidden Treasure
"	XIV	Purchase of ~~clothes from Soldiers~~

(*b*)—ACTS OF THE SUPREME COUNCIL RELATING TO THE MADRAS PRESIDENCY

YEAR AND NUMBER		SUBJECT
1837,	XXXVI	Criminal Jurisdiction of Collectors
1838	XII	Hidden Treasure
1839,	VII	Tahsildars
1840	VIII	Awards of Panchayats
"	XVII	Penalties for breach of Salt Laws
1844,	VI	Duties
1846,	I	Pleaders
"	IX	Harbours
1849,	X	Commissioners of Revenue
1852,	XII	Penalties for breach of Salt Laws
1853,	XX	Pleaders
1855,	X	Section 10—Recusant witnesses
"	XIV	Military Bázárs
"	XXI	Minors
1856	VIII	Control of Gaols
1857	VII	Uncovenanted Agency
1858,	I	Compulsory Labour
"	XIV	Minors
1859,	XXIV	Police
1860,	XXVIII	Boundary Marks
1869,	XI	Land Customs
"	XXIV	Salt

THIRD SCHEDULE

(*See section* 5)

(*a*)—BOMBAY REGULATIONS

YEAR AND NUMBER		SUBJECT
1827,	II	.. Section 21 (caste questions), sections 47 to 54 (inclusive) and section 56 (pleaders)

THIRD SCHEDULE—*continued.*

(*a*).—BOMBAY REGULATIONS—*concluded.*

YEAR AND NUMBER.		SUBJECT.
1827,	IV ..	Section 26 (law applicable to suits): section 69, clauses *second* and *third* (attachment and distraint of crops).
,,	V ...	Preamble: section 9 (acknowledgments of debt): section 14 (interest): section 15 (mortgages and pledges).
,,	VIII ...	Administration of Estates.
,,	XII ..	Preamble: section 19 (Magistrate's power to make rules): section 20 (standards of weights and measures): section 27, clause 2 (supervision of suspected persons): section 37, clauses *first* and *second* (responsibility of villages for robberies).
,,	XIII	Section 34, clause *third* (letter substituted for summons).
,,	XVI	Revenue Administration.
,,	XXI . .	Sections 1 to 16, inclusive (Duty on opium): sections 40, 54 to 66, inclusive (spirits): sections 67 to 73, inclusive (penalties).
,,	XXII	Section 18 (Furnishing false certificates to soldiers): section 19 (buying uniform, arms, &c.): section 20 (recovery of value of embezzled stores): sections 40, 41, 42, 43 (passage of troops): sections 45, 46, 47 (requisitions for military aid).
,,	XXV	State Prisoners.
1830,	V	Section 1 (Revenue Commissioners): section 2, clauses 1, 2, 3 (Collectors and Sub-Collectors).
,,	XIII	Civil jurisdiction of Jágírdárs.
1831,	XV	Village Patels.
1832,	II	Realization of Revenue.
1833,	V	Hereditary Officers.

(*b*).—ACTS OF THE SUPREME COUNCIL RELATING TO THE BOMBAY PRESIDENCY.

YEAR AND NUMBER.		SUBJECT.
1888,	XVI	Judiciary.
,,	XVIII	Sureties.

THIRD SCHEDULE—*concluded.*

(*b*).—Acts of the Supreme Council relating to the Bombay Presidency—*concluded.*

Year and Number.		Subject.
1838,	XIX	Coasting Vessels.
1839,	XX	Revenue.
1840,	XV	Agents of Foreign Sovereigns.
1842,	XIII	Revenue.
„	XVII	Revenue Commissioners.
1843	XI	Hereditary Officers.
1844,	XIX	Abolition of Town Duties.
1846,	I	Pleaders.
„	III	Sections 1, 5 and 6—Boundary Marks.
1852	III	Spirituous Liquors.
„	XXI	Deputy Collectors.
1853,	XX	Pleaders.
1855,	X	Section 10—Recusant Witnesses.
1856,	VIII	Control of Gaols.
1864,	XX	Minors.

FOURTH SCHEDULE.

(*See section* 6).

(*a*).—Bengal Regulations (Lower Provinces).

Year and Number.		Subject.
1793,	I	Perpetual Settlement.
„	II	Collection of Land Revenue.
„	VIII	Rules for Decennial Settlement.
„	XI	Native laws of inheritance to Revenue-paying land.
„	XIX	Title to lands exempt from Revenue.
„	XXXVII	Title to lands exempt from Revenue under bádsháhí grants.
„	XXXVIII	Section 1—Preamble: Section 2—Prohibition of loans by Covenanted Servants.
„	XLVIII	Quinquennial Register of Revenue-paying lands.
1794,	III	Sections 12, 13, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20—Arrears of Revenue.
1795,	LVIII	Sections 3 and 4—Decrees relating to land exempt from Revenue.

FOURTH SCHEDULE—*continued.*

(*a*).—BENGAL REGULATIONS (LOWER PROVINCES)—*continued.*

YEAR AND NUMBER.		SUBJECT.
1797,	XV ...	Fees for keeping Revenue Records.
1798,	I ...	Conditional Sales of Land.
1799,	V ...	Wills and Intestacies of Natives.
1800,	VIII ...	Pargana Register of Lands.
1801,	I ...	Arrears of Revenue: Division of Joint Estates.
1804,	X ...	Punishment by Courts Martial of certain State offences.
1806,	XI ...	Passage of Troops.
"	XVII ...	Sections 7 and 8—Mortgages and conditional sales.
1810,	XIX ...	Maintenance of Bridges, &c.; Escheats.
"	XX ...	Camp-followers, Bázárs, Cantonments.
1811,	XI ...	Revision of jama on lands ordered to be divided.
1812,	V ...	Collection of Land-revenue.
"	XI ...	Removal of Foreign Emigrants.
1814,	XIX ...	Partition of Revenue-paying Estates.
1817,	V ...	Hidden Treasure.
"	XX ...	Section 28—Abkárí: Section 29—Criminal process in Salt and Opium Departments: Section 30, clauses 1, 2 and 5—Building forts; Collecting sepoys and stores; Encroaching on roads: Section 32—Despatches of treasure.
1818,	III ...	State Prisoners.
1819,	II ...	Resumption of Revenue-free lands.
"	VI ...	Ferries.
1821,	IV ...	Powers of Collectors and Magistrates.
1822,	III ...	Boards of Land-revenue.
"	XI ...	Section 36—Khás management of purchases by Government: Section 38—non-liability of Government for errors of Courts.
1823,	VI ...	Indigo Contracts.
"	VII ...	Prohibition of loans to Covenanted Civil Servants.
1825,	VI ...	Passage of Troops.
"	IX ...	Defaulting Málguzárs.
"	XI ...	Alluvion and diluvion.
"	XIII ...	Settlement of resumed Lákhiráj land.
"	XIV ...	Authority to confirm Lákhiráj tenures: Native grants.

FOURTH SCHEDULE—*continued.*

(*a*).—BENGAL REGULATIONS (LOWER PROVINCES)—*concluded.*

YEAR AND NUMBER.		SUBJECT.
1825,	XX	Courts Martial and Military Courts of Requests.
1827,	III	Section 5—Evidence.
„	V	Management of Estates under attachment.
1828,	III	Appeals from decisions of Revenue Authorities.
„	IV	Section 1 and section 2, clause 4—Time during which Collectors are to be considered engaged in making settlements.
1829,	I	Commissioners of Revenue and Board of Revenue.
„	IV	Appeals to Special Commissioners under Regulation III of 1828.
„	XVII	Widow-burning.
1830,	V	Sections 1 and 5—Indigo Contracts.

(*b*).—ACTS OF THE SUPREME COUNCIL RELATING TO THE LOWER PROVINCES.

YEAR AND NUMBER.		SUBJECT.
1836,	X	Indigo Contracts.
„	XX	Batwárns.
„	XXI	Creating Zilas.
1838,	XI	Remuneration of Amíns effecting Partitions.
1841,	XII	Section 2—No Interest on Arrears of Land-revenue.
1847,	IX	Assessment of new lands.
1848,	XX	Land-revenue.
1850,	XLIV	Board of Revenue.
1853,	XIX	Section 26—Recusant witnesses.
1855,	XXXII	Embankments.
1856,	XII	Civil Court Amíns.
„	XX	Chaukídárs.
„	XXI	Abkárí.
1857,	XIII	Opium.
1858,	XXXI	Settlement of Alluvion.
„	XL	Minors.
1859,	XI	Sales for Arrears of Revenue.
1860,	XXIII	Abkárí.

FIFTH SCHEDULE.

(*See section 7*).

(*a*).—BENGAL REGULATIONS (NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES).

YEAR AND NUMBER.	SUBJECT.
1793, XXXVII	Section 1—preamble: Section 2—prohibition of loans by Covenanted Servants.
1798, I	Conditional sales of land.
1799, V	Wills and Administration to Natives.
1804, X	Punishment by Courts Martial of certain State Offences.
1806, XI	Passage of Troops.
„ XVII	Sections 7 and 8—Mortgages and conditional sales.
1810, XIX	Maintenance and Repair of Bridges, &c.; Escheats.
„ XX	Camp-followers, Bázárs, Cantonments.
1812, XI	Removal of Foreign Emigrants.
1817, V	Hidden Treasure.
1818, III	State Prisoners.
1819, VI	Ferries.
1822, XI	Section 38—Non-liability of Government for errors of Courts.
1823, VI	Indigo Contracts.
„ VII	Prohibition of loans to Covenanted Civil Servants.
1825, VI	Passage of Troops.
„ XI	Alluvion and Dereliction.
„ XX	Courts Martial and Courts of Requests.
1827, III	Section 5—Evidence.
„ V	Management of Estates under Attachment.
1829, XVII	Widow-burning.
1830, V	Sections 1 and 5—Indigo Contracts.
1831, VI	Section 6—Sadr Adálat.
„ XI	Sections 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 8—Police-powers of Tahsildárs.
1833, I	Sadr Board of Revenue.
„ IX	Deputy Collectors.

FIFTH SCHEDULE—*concluded.*

(*b*).—ACTS OF THE SUPREME COUNCIL RELATING TO THE N. W. PROVINCES.

YEAR AND NUMBER.		SUBJECT.
1836,	X .	Indigo Contracts.
"	XXI .	Creating Zilas.
1853,	XIX ...	Section 26—Recusant witnesses.
1854,	XVI	Police.
1856,	XII . .	Civil Court Amíns.
"	XX ..	Chaukídárs.
1857,	XIII .	Opium.
1858,	XL	Minors.

SIXTH SCHEDULE.

(*See sections* 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 *and* 7).

PART I.

SCHEDULED DISTRICTS, MADRAS.

I.—In Ganjam.

(1.) The Gumsur Maliahs, including Chokapad.
(2.) The Surada Maliahs.
(3.) The Chinna Kimedi Maliahs.
(4.) The Pedda Kimedi Maliahs.
(5.) The Bodaguda Maliahs.
(6.) The Surangi Maliahs.
(7.) The Parla Kimedi Maliahs.
(8.) The Muttás of Koradá and Ronaba (otherwise called Srîkarma).
(9.) ~~The Chigintiri Maliahs.~~
(10.) The Juradá Maliah.
(11.) The Jalantra Maliah.
(12.) The Mandasa Maliah.
(13.) The Budarasinghi Maliah.
(14.) The Kuttingia Maliah.

II.—In Vizagapatam.

(1.) The Jeypur Zamíndárí.
(2.) Golconda Hills, west of the River Boderu.
(3.) The Madugol Maliahs.
(4.) The Kasipur Zamíndárí.
(5.) The Panchipenta Maliahs.
(6.) Mondemkolla, in the Merangi Zamíndárí.
(7.) ~~The Konda Muttás of Bolgám.~~
(8.) The Gumma and Konda Muttás of Kurpam.
(9.) The Kottam, Rám and Konda Muttás of Pálkonda.

SIXTH SCHEDULE—*continued.*

SCHEDULED DISTRICTS, MADRAS—*concluded.*

III.—In the Godávari District..

(1.) The Bhadráchalam Táluq.
(2.) The Rákapilli Táluq.
(3.) The Rampá Country.

IV.—In the Indian Ocean.

The Laccadive Islands, including Minicoy.

PART II.

SCHEDULED DISTRICTS, BOMBAY.

I.—The Province of Sindh.
II.—The Panch Mahále.
III.—Aden.
IV.—The villages belonging to the following Mehwassi Chiefs :—

(1.) The Párví of Káthí.
(2.) The Párví of Nál.
(3.) The Párví of Singpúr.
(4.) Walwi of Gaohállí.
(5.) The Wassáwa of Chikhlí.
(6.) The Párví of Nawalpúr.

PART III.

SCHEDULED DISTRICTS, BENGAL.

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I.—The Jalpáigori and Darjeeling ~~Divisions.~~
II.—The Hill tracts of Chittagong.
III.—The Santhál Parganas.
IV.—The Chutiá Nágpur Division.
V.—The Mahále of Angúl and Banki.

PART IV.

SCHEDULED DISTRICTS, NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES.

I.—~~The Jhánsí Division, comprising the Districts of Jhánsí, Jalaun and Lalatpur.~~
II.—The Province of Kumáon and Garhwál.
III.—The Terai Parganas, comprising—Bázpúr, Káshípúr, Jaspúr, Rudarpúr, Gadarpúr, Kilpúrí, Nának-Matthá and Bilherí.
IV.—In the Mirzapur District :—

(1.) The tappás of Agori Khás and South Kon in the Pargana of Agori.
(2.) The tappá of British Singrauli in the Pargana of Singrauli.
(3.) The tappás of Phulwá, Dudhí and Barhá in the Pargana of Bichipár.
(4.) The portion lying to the South of the Kaimor Range.

SIXTH SCHEDULE.—*continued.*

Scheduled Districts, North-Western Provinces—*concluded.*

V. The Family Domains of the Mahárájá of Benares comprising the following parganas :—
Bhadohi and Kheyra Mángror in the Mirzapur District.
Kaswá Rájá in the Benares District.

VI. The tract of country known as Jaunsar Báwar in the Dehra Dún District.

PART V.

Scheduled Districts, Panjáb.

The Districts of Hazára, Peshawar, Kohát, Bannu, Dera Ismail Khán, Dera Ghází Khán, Lahaul and Spiti.

PART VI.

Scheduled Districts, Central Provinces.

Chhattisgarh Zamíndáris.

1. Khariár.
2. Bindrá Nowágarh.
3. Sahezpúr.
4. Gándai.
5. Silhetí.
6. Barbaspúr.
7. Thákurtolá.
8. Lohárá.
9. Gondardehí.
10. Fingeswar.
11. Pándaría.
12. Pendrá.
13. Mátín.
14. Uprorá.
15. Kendá.
16. Láphá.
17. Chhúrí.
18. Korbá.
19. Chapá.
20. Borá Sámbhar.
21. Phúljhar.
22. Kolábirá.
23. Rámpúr.

Chándá Zamíndáris.

1. Ahírí.
2. Ámbágarh Chaukí.
3. Aundhí.
4. Dhanorá.
5. Dúdhmálá.
6. Gewardá.
7. Jhárápápra.
8. Khutgáon.
9. Korachá.
10. Kotgal.
11. Muramgáon.
12. Pánábáras.
13. Palasgarh.
14. Rángí.
15. Sirsundí.
16. Sonsarí.
17. Chándálá.
18. Gilgáon.
19. Páwí Mutándá.
20. Pategáon.

SIXTH SCHEDULE—*concluded.*

SCHEDULED DISTRICTS, CENTRAL PROVINCES—*concluded.*

Chhindwárá Jágírdárís.

1. Haraí.
2. Chháter.
3. Gorakhghát.
4. Gorpání.
5. Baktágarh.
6. Bardágarh.
7. Pachmarhí.
8. Partábgarh.
9. Almod.
10. Sonpúr.
11. Bariám Pagárá.

PART VII.

The Chief Commissionership of Coorg.

PART VIII.

The Chief Commissionership of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands.

PART IX.

The Chief Commissionership of Ajmer and Mairwára.

PART X.

The Chief Commissionership of Assam.

PART XI.

The Hill Tracts of Arakan.

PART XII.

The Pargana of Mánpur.

~~PART XIII.~~

~~The Cantonment of Morar.~~

SEVENTH SCHEDULE.

ENACTMENTS REPEALED.

(*See section* 9).

PART I.—ACTS.

NUMBER AND YEAR.	SUBJECT OR TITLE.	EXTENT OF REPEAL.
X of 1838	Kumaon	The whole.
VIII of 1839	Jágír Chinchni	The whole.

SEVENTH SCHEDULE.—*continued.*

ENACTMENTS REPEALED.

PART I—ACTS—*continued.*

NUMBER AND YEAR.	SUBJECT OR TITLE.	EXTENT OF REPEAL.
VI of 1842	An Act for annexing to the British Territory certain villages belonging to the late Nepanee Jagheer, and acquisitions by exchange from the Sattara State, and for bringing under the Regulations an Inam village of Pergunnah Yelloor.	The whole.
X of 1848	An Act for annexing the lapsed State of Mandvee to the Presidency of Bombay.	The whole Act except the title and the following words (namely) "suits on the following subjects shall not be cognizable by the Civil Courts within the said lapsed State of Mandvee," and clause fourth and the first eleven words of clause fifth of section two.
VIII of 1853	An Act for bringing the lapsed State of Colaba under the laws of the Presidency of Bombay.	The whole Act except the title and the following words (namely) "suits on the following subjects shall not be cognizable by the Civil Courts within the said lapsed State of Colaba," and clause fourth and the first eleven words of clause fifth of section two.

SEVENTH SCHEDULE—*continued.*

ENACTMENTS REPEALED.

PART I—ACTS—*continued.*

NUMBER AND YEAR.	SUBJECT OR TITLE.	EXTENT OF REPEAL.
XIII of 1853	An Act for bringing under the operation of the Regulations and Acts in force in the Presidency of Bombay certain territories subordinate to that Presidency.	The whole.
XVII of 1853	An Act to repeal Regulation VII of 1816, and to declare the law which is to be in force in the tract of land granted to Maharajah Imrit Rao.	So much as has not been repealed.
XXIII of 1858	An Act for bringing the District of Kurnool under the Laws of the Presidency of Fort St. George.	The whole.
XXXII of 1858	An Act for bringing the Fort of Tanjore and the adjacent territory under the Laws of the Presidency of Fort St. George.	So much as has not been repealed.
XII of 1863	An Act to bring the Pergunnahs of Mahoba and Jeitpore, in the District of Humeerpore, under the operation of the General Regulations.	So much as has not been repealed.
I of 1864	An Act to bring the Jagheers of Poorwah and Khuddee, in the District of Banda, under the operation of the General Regulations.	The whole.
XXIV of 1864	An Act relating to the administration of certain districts under the Government of the Lieutenant-Governor of the North-Western Provinces.	So much as has not been repealed.
I of 1865	An Act to authorize the extension of certain Acts and Regulations to Territories not subject to the general Regulations.	The whole.
XXII of 1868	An Act to bring Mauza Kheria, in the District of Agra, under the operation of the General Regulations.	The whole.

SEVENTH SCHEDULE—*continued.*

ENACTMENTS REPEALED—*continued.*

Bombay Acts.

NUMBER AND YEAR.	TITLE OR ABBREVIATED TITLE.	EXTENT OF REPEAL.
III of 1863	An Act for bringing under the Regulations and Acts of the Presidency of Bombay the territories of Sattara, &c.	Sections five, six and seven, and schedule C.
IX of 1866	An Act to authorize the extension of certain Regulations and Acts to Territories in the Bombay Presidency not subject to the General Regulations.	The whole.
X of 1866	An Act to shorten the language used in Acts of the Governor of Bombay in Council and to make certain provisions regarding thereto.	Section five.

PART II.—REGULATIONS.

(*a*).—*Bengal Code.*

NUMBER AND YEAR.	TITLE OR ABBREVIATED TITLE.	EXTENT OF REPEAL.
XLVIII of 1795	A Regulation for prohibiting Covenanted Civil Servants of the Company employed in the administration of justice, or the collection of the public revenue, in the Province of Benares, from lending money to talookdars, &c.	So much as has not been repealed.
XIX of 1803	A Regulation for prohibiting Covenanted Civil Servants of the Company employed in the administration of justice, or the collection of the public revenue, in the provinces ceded by the Nawab Vizier to the Hon'ble the English East India Company, from lending money to zemindars, &c.	The whole.
XXXIV of 1803	A Regulation for determining the Rate of Interest on Money in the Provinces ceded by the Nawab Vizier to the Hon'ble the English East India Company.	So much as has not been repealed.

SEVENTH SCHEDULE.—*continued.*

ENACTMENTS REPEALED.

PART II—REGULATIONS—*continued.*

(*a*).—*Bengal Code—concluded.*

NUMBER AND YEAR.	TITLE OR ABBREVIATED TITLE.	EXTENT OF REPEAL.
XII of 1806	A Regulation for annexing the Pergunnahs of Sonk, Sonsa and Sahar, situated on the right bank of the River Jumna, to the jurisdiction of the Zillah of Agra, &c.	The whole.
XIV of 1806	A Regulation for abolishing the Court of Dewanny Adawlut of the Zillah of the Northern Division of Saharunpore.	The whole.
XVIII of 1816	A Regulation for annexing to the Zillah of Allahabad the Pergunnah of Hendya, &c.	So much as has not been repealed.
II of 1818	A Regulation for annexing to the Zillah of Bundlecund the Elaked of Khundeh, &c.	So much as has not been repealed.
IV of 1818	A Regulation for re-establishing the Dewanny Adawlut of the Northern Division of Saharunpore.	The whole.
V of 1824	A Regulation for extending the operation of Regulation VI, 1823, to the Provinces of Orissa, Behar and Benares, and to the Ceded and Conquered Provinces.	The whole.
XXI of 1825	A Regulation for annexing to the Jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Kumaon the tract of country called the Deyra Doon, &c.	The whole.
V of 1826	A Regulation for annexing to the Zillah of Agra the Pergunnah of Goberdhun.	So much as has not been repealed.
VI of 1826	A Regulation for constituting the Jurisdiction of the Joint Magistrate, stationed at Futtehpore, a distinct Zillah.	The whole.
V of 1829	A Regulation for rescinding part of Regulation X. 1817, and parts of Regulation XXI. 1825.	The whole.
VIII of 1832	A Regulation for rescinding Regulation XIV. 1814.	So much as has not been repealed.
V of 1833	A Regulation for forming the Jurisdiction of the City of Dacca and the Zillah of Dacca Jelalpore into one District.	So much as has not been repealed.

SEVENTH SCHEDULE.—*concluded.*

ENACTMENTS REPEALED.

PART II—REGULATIONS—*concluded.*

(*b.*)—*Bombay Code.*

NUMBER AND YEAR.	TITLE.	EXTENT OF REPEAL.
X of 1830	A Regulation for bringing under the Operation of the Regulations certain villages in the Collectorship of Khandesh.	The whole.
XIV of 1830	A Regulation for bringing under the Operation of the Regulations such Portion of the Bombay Territory on the Mahabuleshwur Hills as has been ceded to the Hon'ble Company by His Highness the Rajah of Sattara.	The whole.
II of 1834	A Regulation for bringing under the Operation of the Regulations certain villages which have been ceded to the Hon'ble Company by Angria Sirkeil in exchange for other villages.	The whole.

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ACT No. XVI of 1874.

PASSED BY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

(Received the assent of the Governor General on the 16th December 1874).

An Act for the repeal of certain Obsolete Enactments.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient that the enactments mentioned in the schedule to this Act, which have ceased to be in force otherwise than by express and specific repeal, or have by lapse of time and change of circumstances become unnecessary, or which merely repeal prior enactments, should be expressly and specifically repealed; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Enactments in schedule repealed.

1. The enactments described in the schedule annexed to this Act are hereby repealed to the extent mentioned in the third column of the same schedule:

Provided that the repeal by this Act of any enactment shall not affect any Statute, Act or Regulation in which such enactment has been applied, incorporated, or referred to:

And this Act shall not affect the validity or invalidity of anything already done or suffered, or any indemnity already granted, or any right or title already acquired or accrued, or any remedy or proceeding in respect thereof, or the proof of any past act or thing:

Nor shall this Act affect any principle or rule of law, or established jurisdiction, form or course of pleading, practice or procedure, or existing usage, custom, privilege, restriction, exemption, office or appointment, notwithstanding that the same respectively may have been in any manner affirmed, recognised,

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recognised, or derived, by, in, or from any enactment hereby repealed:

Nor shall this Act provide or restore any jurisdiction, office, custom, privilege, restriction, exemption, usage or practice not now existing or in force.

Short title
Commencement

2. This Act may be cited as "The Repealing Act, 1874;" it extends to the whole of British India; and it shall come into force on the passing thereof.

SCHEDULE.

SCHEDULE.

PART I.—ACTS OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
VIII of 1835 ...	Decrees for Rent ...	So much as has not been repealed.
X of 1836 ...	Indigo Contracts ...	In sections two, three and four, the first six words.
XX of 1836 ...	Quashing Batwáras ...	In section two, the words and figures "And it is hereby enacted that from the said first day of October, 1836." In section three, the words And it is hereby enacted that."
XXI of 1836 ...	Creation of Zilas ...	The words and figures "It is hereby enacted, that from the first day of October, 1836."
XXVI of 1836 ...	Governor General's Camp-Police	In section one, the first five words; and in sections two, three and four, the first six words.
III of 1837 ...	Bengal Sadr Courts ...	So much as has not been repealed.
IV of 1837 ...	Power to acquire land ...	In section one, the first twelve words and in section two, the first six words.
VI of 1837 ...	Cuttack Málguzárs ...	The first five words.
XXII of 1837 ...	Offences against Revenue Regulations (Madras)	So much as has not been repealed.
XXIX of 1837 ...	Power to prescribe language to be used in judicial proceedings	The whole Act.
XXXVI of 1837 ...	Criminal jurisdiction (Madras)	In section two, the first six words, and the words "and that."
VII of 1838 ...	Bengal judiciary ...	So much as has not been repealed.
XII of 1838 ...	Treasure Trove (Madras)	The words and figures "It is hereby enacted, that from the first day of July 1838."
XVI of 1838 ...	Bombay judiciary ...	Section six; and in each of sections two, three, four and five, the first six words.
XVIII of 1838 ...	Sureties (Bombay) ...	In section one, the first twelve words. In sections two, three, four, five and six, the words "And it is hereby enacted, that."
XIX of 1838 ...	Coasting vessels (Bombay)	In sections two to fourteen (both inclusive), the words "And it is hereby enacted, that;" in section two, the words and figures "from

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		the said first day of November 1838;" and in section fifteen, the words and figures "And it is hereby enacted, that from the first day of November 1838."
XXII of 1838 ...	Bengal judiciary ...	So much as has not been repealed.
XXIX of 1838 ...	Salt Department (Bengal)	In each of sections two to thirteen, and seventeen to twenty-two (both inclusive), twenty-four, twenty-five, twenty-six, thirty and thirty-three, the words "And it is hereby enacted, that."
IX of 1839 ...	Pauper suits ...	So much as has not been repealed.
XX of 1839 ...	Levy of hakks, &c. (Bombay)	In section one, the first seven words; in sections two and three, the first six words.
XXIV of 1839 ...	Ganjam and Vizagapatam	In section two, the words and figures "And it is hereby enacted, that from and after the said first day of December 1839." In sections three, four, five, six, seven and eight, the first six words.
VI of 1840 ...	Bills of Exchange ...	In section one, the words and figures "from and after the first day of May, in the year of our Lord 1840." In section two, the first twelve words. In each of the remaining sections, the first six words.
IX of 1840 ...	Damages, &c. ...	In section two, the first six words.
X of 1840 ...	Temple of Jagannáth ...	In sections two and three, the first six words.
XV of 1840 ...	Agents of Foreign Sovereigns (Bombay)	So far as relates to Bombay Regulation XV of 1827.
XVII of 1840 ...	Salt laws (Madras) ...	The words and figures "in modification of Regulation V of 1831, of the Madras Code."
XIX of 1840 ...	Pauper appeals ...	So much as has not been repealed.
XXIII of 1840 ...	Execution of process ...	In sections two, three, four, six and seven, the first six words; in section five, the first five words; and the word "that" where it first occurs.
I of 1841 ...	Collection of Revenue...	The whole Act.
VII of 1841 ...	Examination of absent witnesses	So much as has not been repealed.

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Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
VIII of 1841 ..	Interpleader ...	In sections two, three, four, five and seven, the first six words.
X of 1841 .	Registry of Ships ..	In sections two, three, four, five, six, nine, ten, eleven, twelve, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen, seventeen, eighteen, nineteen, twenty-one, twenty-three, twenty-four and twenty-five, the first six words. In section eight, the first fourteen words. In section twenty-six, the first eight words.
XI of 1841 ..	Military Courts of Requests	In sections three to seventeen (both inclusive), the first six words. In section five, the words and figures "of the East India Company, under Act No. VII of 1841," and "pursuant to the provisions of Act No. VII of 1841." In section fifteen, the words and figures "(for which purpose the provisions of Act No. II of 1840 shall be applicable)."
XII of 1841 ..	Sales of land for arrears of Revenue	In section two, the first six words, and the words and figures "which shall fall due after the date specified in section XXXV of this Act."
XVIII of 1841 ...	Arms and Ammunition	In section three, the first six words.
XIX of 1841 ..	Curators ..	In sections two to nineteen (both inclusive), the first six words.
XXIV of 1841 ...	Illusory appointments, &c.	In section two, the first six words, and the words "from the first day of January next." In section four, the first forty-three words, and the words "from the first day of January next." In section five, the first six words.
XXVI of 1841	Extension of parts of 3 & 4 Win. IV., C. 42	In sections three, four, seven and nine, the first six words. In section eight, the first five words, and the word "that."
XXVII of 1841 .	Unclaimed dividends ..	In section two, the first six words.
IV of 1842 ..	Boat regulations (Madras)	In section one, the first fourteen words. In sections two, three, four, six to nineteen (both inclusive), twenty-one and twenty-four, the first six words. Section twenty. In sections twenty-two and twenty-three, the first seven words.

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Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
XII of 1842 ...	Military Bázárs ...	Section two, so far as it relates to Act No. XXVIII of 1841, and the first six words.
XIII of 1842 ...	Collection of Revenue (Bombay)	In section two, the first six words, and the words "that it." In sections three to eight (both inclusive), the first six words.
II of 1843 ...	Appeals ...	The whole Act.
V of 1843 ...	Slavery ...	In section one, the first seven words. In sections two and three, the first eight words. In section four, the first six words.
XI of 1843 ...	Hereditary officers (Bombay)	In section two, the word "And." In sections three, four, five and six, eight, ten to fifteen (both inclusive), the first six words. In sections seven and nine, the first seven words.
XII of 1843 ...	Judicial language ...	The whole Act.
VI of 1844 ...	Customs Duties (Madras)	Section six. In sections eight to fifteen (both inclusive), the first six words.
XVI of 1844 ...	Salt Duties (Bombay) ...	The preamble. Section six down to and including the words "weight and that," and the word "Company's."
VIII of 1845 ...	Security for costs ...	The whole Act.
XXI of 1845 ...	Meriah sacrifices ...	The whole Act.
I of 1846 ...	Pleaders	Sections one, two and three; and in sections four and six to thirteen (both inclusive), the first six words. In section five, the words "nevertheless, and it is hereby enacted."
III of 1846 ...	Boundary marks (Bombay)	In sections five and six, the first six words.
XI of 1846 ...	Khándesh and Ahmadnagar	In sections two, three, four and five, the first six words.
IX of 1847 ...	Assessment of lands gained by alluvion or dereliction	In sections two, three, five, six and nine, the first six words. Section four down to and including the words "and that."

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Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
XX of 1847 ...	Copyright	In section three, the first six words, and the words "and that." In section five, the first eleven words, and the words "and that." In section six, the first five words, and the words "and that." In section seven, the first five words. In sections eight and nine, the first twelve words. In sections ten and eleven, the first six words. In sections twelve to sixteen (both inclusive), the first five words.
XIV of 1848 ...	Commissions ...	In section one, the first six words.
IX of 1849 ...	Police Magistrates (Madras)	So much as has not been repealed.
IX of 1850 ...	Presidency Small Cause Courts	In section six, the words and figures "within the meaning of Act VII. 1841, section VI."
XIX of 1850 ...	Apprentices ...	In sections five and twenty-three, the words "the East" and "Company."
XXXIII of 1850 ...	Sales of Patní tenures ...	In section one, the first six words.
XXXVII of 1850 ...	Inquiries into behaviour of public servants	In section eight, the words and figures "by Act XXX. 1841."
III of 1852 ...	Spirituous liquors (Bombay)	Section nine.
VII of 1852 ...	Salt Revenue (Madras)	In section four, the words and figures "in the manner prescribed by Clause 2, Section XXXIII. Regulation XI. of 1816, of the Madras Code."
XI of 1852 ...	Title to rent-free estates (Bombay)	Section one from and including the words "and no order" to the end.
XXIII of 1852 ...	Mitigation of Fines ...	The whole Act.
XXX of 1852 ...	Naturalization ...	Section nine.
XVIII of 1853 ...	Sale of spirits in Cantonments.	In section sixteen, the words and figures "shall not come into operation before the 1st day of January 1854, and."
XVIII of 1854 ...	Railways	In the preamble, the words "under the superintendence and control of the East India Company," and "in any part of the

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Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
		territories in the possession and under the Government of the said Company." In section two, the words "or of the East India Company." Sections thirty-two and thirty-three.
XXXI of 1854 ...	Fines and recoveries: tenants in tail and married women	In the title and preamble, the words "to abolish real actions and also fines and common recoveries, and." In section thirteen, the words "the East" and "Company." Section nineteen.
XXXIII of 1854 ...	Judicial language ..	The whole Act.
XIV of 1855 ..	Military Bázárs, Madras	The whole Act.
XVIII of 1855 ..	Pardons and Reprieves ...	The whole Act.
XXIII of 1855 ..	Administration of mortgaged estates	In section one, the first eight words.
XXIV of 1855 ...	Penal Servitude ...	In section one, the first six words, and the words "the East" and "Company."
XXXII of 1855 ...	Embankments ...	Section nineteen, and the last seven words of section eighteen.
XI of 1856 ..	European deserters ...	In section two, the words "or for any of the Settlements of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore and Malacca." In section four, the words and figures "Act No. XIV of 1849, or."
XIII of 1856 ...	Presidency Towns Police	In the title and preamble, the words "and the several stations of the Settlement of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore and Malacca." In section two, the definitions of "station" and "Her Majesty's Supreme Court of Judicature." The expressions "and stations," "or station," "or stations" wherever they occur in the Act. Section nine. In section twenty-two, the words "and within the said Settlement." In sections forty-seven, forty-eight and seventy-four, the words "or the East India Company." Section fifty-three from and including the words "or of any" down to and including "1851."

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Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
		Section one hundred and eighteen.
XIV of 1856 ...	Improvement of Presidency Towns	So much as has not been repealed.
XIX of 1856 ...	Emigration ...	So much as has not been repealed.
XXV of 1856 ...	Municipal rates ...	The whole Act.
IV of 1857 ...	Tobacco (Bombay) ...	In section four, the words and figures "within the meaning of Act XXV of 1836."
XXI of 1857 ...	Suburbs of Calcutta ...	In the title, the words "of the Suburbs of Calcutta and;" in the preamble, the words "the Suburbs of the said town of Calcutta and of," and the words "Suburbs and," in each of the places where they occur. In section one, the words "Suburbs or." In section four, the words "or the East India Company." In the schedule, the words "*Suburbs of Calcutta and*," and the Part headed "SUBURBS OF CALCUTTA."
XXIX of 1857 ...	Land Customs (Bombay)	In section four, the words "as above provided." In section five, the words and figures "and the provisions of sections IV, V and VI of the said Act I of 1852 shall be applicable to the persons so appointed."
I of 1858 ...	Forced labour (Madras)	In section six, the words "or District" in each of the places where they occur, and so much of that section as relates to Madras Regulation VII of 1816.
XXXIV of 1858 ...	Lunacy (Charter Courts)	Section thirty-one from and including "and shall" down to the end of the section.
XXXVI of 1858 ...	Lunatic Asylums ...	In section six, the words "and the Stations of the Straits Settlement," and "and Stations." In section seven, the words "or in any Station of the Straits Settlement." In section seventeen, the words and figures "or to affect the provisions of Act IV of 1849, entitled '*An Act for the safe custody of Criminal Lunatics.*'"
XXXVII of 1858 ...	Nawáb of the Carnatic	Section three.

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Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
I of 1859 ...	Merchant Seamen ...	In section one hundred and twelve, the last eleven words.
III of 1859 ...	Cantonment Joint Magistrates	Section eleven.
VII of 1859 ...	Customs ...	So much as has not been repealed.
XIII of 1859 ...	Masters and Workmen	In section one, the words "or in any Station of the Settlement of 'Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore and Malacca."
XVIII of 1859 ...	Punishment of offences	Section one.
XXIII of 1859 ...	Land Customs ...	The whole Act.
XXIV of 1859 ...	Police (Madras Presidency)	Section twelve. In section fifty-two, the words and figures "in manner provided by Act II of 1839."
VIII of 1860 ...	Telegraphs ...	In section eighteen, the words "or for the Settlement of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore, and Malacca."
XVI of 1860 ...	Presidency Municipalities	The whole Act.
XXI of 1860 ...	Registration of Societies	In sections one and eighteen, the words and figures "under Act XIX of 1857."
XXII of 1860 ...	Chittagong ...	Section seven.
XXIII of 1860 ...	Abkári (Bengal) ...	In section one, the words and figures "On and after the 21st January 1860;" and in section four, the word "said."
XXVII of 1860 ...	Collections of debts on successions	Section one.
XXXI of 1860 ...	Arms	In section twenty-five, the words "Magistrate, Deputy Magistrate, or Assistant to a Magistrate, or Police Officer, or for any other." Sections thirty-seven, thirty-eight and thirty-nine. In section forty-one, the words "or Station."
XLVIII of 1860 ...	Presidency Towns Police	In the title, the words "*and the several Stations of the Settlement of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore and Malacca.*" In section four, the words "or in any of the Stations of the Straits Settlement," and "or of the Courts of Judicature of such Stations," and "or in the Court of Judicature."

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Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
V of 1861 ...	Police	Section eleven.
XVII of 1861 ..	Customs Duties (North-Western Provinces).	In section one, the words and figures "From and after the ninth day of March 1861." Section three.
IV of 1863 ..	Treaty with Burma ...	Section four.
XIX of 1863 ...	Partition	In section two, the words "after the passing of this Act."
XX of 1863 ...	Religious Endowments	In the preamble, the words and figures "and whereas it is expedient for that purpose to repeal so much of Regulation XIX 1810 of the Bengal Code, and Regulation VII. 1817 of the Madras Code, as relate to endowments for the support of mosques, Hindoo Temples, or other religious purposes." In section twenty-two, the words "after the passing of this Act."
VI of 1864 ...	Whipping	Sections nine and ten.
VII of 1864 ...	Salt (Central Provinces)	Section four.
XIX of 1864 ...	Mirzápur	Section four.
XXIV of 1865	Warrants of Attorney .	So much as has not been repealed.
XXX of 1865 ..	Madras Irrigation Company	Section two.
XXI of 1866 ...	Native Converts' re-marriage	Section two. In section thirty-four, the words and figures "or in Acts Nos. XXV of 1864 and V of 1865," and from and including the words "and no Clergyman" to the end of the section, and section thirty-five from and including the words "But it may" to the end of the section.
XXV of 1866 ...	Transfer to Government of certain securities	In the title and preamble, the words "and in the Supreme Court of the Straits' Settlement." In section one, the words "or Supreme Court of the Straits' Settlement." So much of section two as has not been repealed.

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Number and year.	Subject	Extent of repeal.
		In section four, the words "or Supreme Court, as the case may be," and the words "and, in the case of proceeds transferred and paid under the second section of this Act by order of the Supreme Court of the Straits' Settlement, be established to the satisfaction of the same Court."
XXVII of 1866 ...	Trustees and Mortgagees	In section two, the words "*to abolish real actions and also fines and common recoveries, and.*" Section fifty-five.
XXVIII of 1866 ...	Trustees and Mortgagees' powers	In section one, the words "and the Supreme Court of Judicature of the Settlement of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore and Malacca." Section forty-seven.
III of 1867	Public Gambling ...	Section eighteen.
XIII of 1867 ...	Port-dues (Maulmain and Bassein)	In section three, the first eight words.
XIV of 1867	Pándhari (Central Provinces)	Section seven.
XVIII of 1867 ...	Jhánsi Civil Courts ...	In section three, the words "from the date of this Act coming into operation." Section twenty-six.
XIX of 1867 ...	Darjeeling ..	Section one.
XXIII of 1867 ...	Murderous Outrages (Panjáb)	Section three.
XVIII of 1868 ..	Nílgiri Hills ..	Section four.
XXV of 1868 ...	Coorg Courts ...	The second paragraph of section one. Section twenty-five.
XI of 1869 ...	Land Customs (Madras and Bombay)	Section three. In section four, the words and figures "schedules to the said Act No. XVII of 1867, or any other."
XV of 1869 ..	Prisoners' testimony .	In sections seven and eight, the words and figures "appointed under Act No. XXI of 1863," and "appointed under the said Act No. XXI of 1863."
XVI of 1869 .	Bhután Dwárs ...	Section four.

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Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
XVIII of 1869 ...	Stamps	In section seventeen, the words and figures "Act No. XXVI of 1867, section six, or under," and "other." In section forty-five, the words and figures "or Act No. X of 1862 (*to consolidate and amend the law relating to stamp duties*)."
XX of 1869 ...	Volunteers ..	In section twenty-six, the words and figures "or the said Act No. XXIII of 1857."
V of 1870 ...	Costs of certain petitions	In the preamble, the words "*and in the Supreme Court of the Straits' Settlement, and the proceeds of certain estates in the charge of the Administrator General of Bengal.*"
XXII of 1870 ...	European British subjects	Section five.
XXVI of 1870	Prisons	The third paragraph of section one.
I of 1871 ...	Cattle trespass ...	The third paragraph of section one.
II of 1871 ..	Extension of Prisons' Act to Coorg	Clause (*b*) of section one.
III of 1871 ..	Paper Currency ..	The third paragraph of section one.
IV of 1871 ..	Coroners	The third paragraph of section one.
V of 1871 ...	Prisoners	The third paragraph of section one.
VI of 1871 ...	Bengal Civil Courts ...	The fourth paragraph of section one.
VII of 1871 ..	Emigration ...	The third paragraph of section one.
X of 1871 ..	Excise	The third paragraph of section one. Section eighty-eight.
XII of 1871 ..	Income Tax ...	The whole Act.
XIII of 1871 ...	Customs Duties ...	The third paragraph of section one. In section four, the words and figures "affects Act No XX of 1867, or."
XVI of 1871 ...	Survey of Steamers (Burma)	The third paragraph of section one.
XVII of 1871 ...	Land rates (Oudh) .	The third paragraph of section one.
XVIII of 1871 ..	Land rates (N. W. P.)	The third paragraph of section one.
XX of 1871 ...	Land rates (Panjáb) ..	The third paragraph of section one.

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Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
XXI of 1871 ...	Debrá Dún ..	In the preamble, the words "and to indemnify all officers and other persons who have acted in the said district under the said Regulations and Acts."
XXIV of 1871 ..	Local Public Works Loans	In section one, the words "and shall come into force upon the passing thereof."
XXV of 1871 .	Railways	The third paragraph of section one.
XXVI of 1871 ...	Land improvement ...	The third paragraph of section one.
XXVII of 1871 ...	Criminal tribes ...	In section one, the words "and it shall come into force on the passing thereof."
XXXII of 1871 ...	Civil Courts (Oudh) ...	Paragraphs three and four of section one.
III of 1872 ...	Marriage in certain cases	In section one, the last nine words.
VII of 1872 ...	Burma Courts ...	The last paragraph of section one. Sections three and four.
VIII of 1872	Income Tax ...	The whole Act.
X of 1872 ...	Criminal Procedure ...	The third paragraph of section one.
XI of 1872 ...	Foreign Jurisdiction ...	The last paragraph of section one.
XIII of 1872 ..	Patterns and Designs ...	The last nine words of section one.
XV of 1872 ..	Christian Marriage ...	The third paragraph of section one.
XVIII of 1872 ...	Amending Evidence Act	The second paragraph of section one.
XXI of 1872 ...	Native Military Lunatics	The third paragraph of section one.
XXVII of 1872 ...	Postponing Criminal Procedure Code in Sindh	The whole Act.
I of 1873 ...	Amending Burma Courts' Act	The third paragraph of section one.
II of 1873 ...	Burma Ferries ...	The third paragraph of section one.
IV of 1873 ...	Panjáb Municipalities	The third paragraph of section one.
V of 1873	Government Savings Banks	The third paragraph of section one.
VI of 1873 ...	Transhipment ...	The third paragraph of section one.
VIII of 1873 ...	Canals and Drainage ..	The third paragraph of section one.

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Number and year.	Subject	Extent of repeal.
IX of 1873 .	Panjáb Appeals ...	The third paragraph of section one.
XI of 1873 ...	Central Provinces Municipalities	The third paragraph of section one.
XII of 1873 ..	Repealing Act, 1873 ...	The whole Act.
XIII of 1873 ...	Burma Timber ...	Section five.
XIV of 1873 ...	Lunatic Soldiers' property	The third paragraph of section one.
XV of 1873 ...	Municipalities (N. W. P. and Oudh)	The third paragraph of section one.
XVI of 1873 ...	Village Police (N. W. P.)	Section two.
V of 1874 .	Kullu appeals ...	The preamble and section two.
VI of 1874 ..	Privy Council Appeals ...	Section two and the schedule.

PART II.—ACTS OF THE GOVERNOR OF FORT ST. GEORGE IN COUNCIL.

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
III of 1865 ...	Offences against special and local laws	The whole.
I of 1867 ..	Shortening language of Acts	Sections six and seven.
III of 1867 ...	Claims against Azím Jah	The whole.
VIII of 1867 .	Police ..	In section eighty-one, the words and figures "And sections 2 and 4 of Act XXII of 1857 and."
I of 1869 ...	Nílgiri Hills Commissioner	The whole.

PART III.—ACTS OF THE GOVERNOR OF BOMBAY IN COUNCIL.

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
VII of 1867 ...	District Police ...	Section twelve.
I of 1873 ...	Bombay Port Trust ...	Section one, and Schedule A.
III of 1873 ...	Fees levied under Bombay Act IX of 1863	The whole.

PART IV.—ACTS OF THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
VII of 1862 ...	Resumption of Revenue	Sections three and four.
VIII of 1868 ...	Partial repeal of Act XXI of 1857	The whole Act.
II of 1872 ...	Jute Warehouses ...	The last forty-three words of section one.

PART V.—MADRAS REGULATIONS.

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
III of 1802 ...	Procedure in Zila Courts	Section twenty-one.
IX of 1816 ...	Zila Magistrates ...	So much as has not been repealed.
II of 1819 ...	State Prisoners ...	Section four.
VII of 1822 ...	Rescinding Regulations I of 1809, and V of 1811	In section three, the words "of the ministerial officers of the Courts of Judicature."
VII of 1832 ...	Military Bázárs ...	The whole.

PART VI.—BENGAL REGULATIONS.

Number and year.	Subject or abbreviated Title.	Extent of repeal.
II of 1793 ..	A Regulation for abolishing the Courts of Maal Adawlut, &c.	In section four, the words and figures "published in the manner directed in Regulation XLI. 1793." In section eight, clauses *Eleventh* and *Twelfth*. In section nine, the first three words. In section ten, the words "or dewans." In section fourteen, the words "and the dewan." In sections fifteen and eighteen, the words "or dewan." In section sixteen, the words "dewan or other." Sections twenty-one, twenty-two, twenty-seven, thirty, thirty-one, thirty-two, forty-six and forty-seven. In section twenty-four, the words and figures "by a Regulation published in the manner directed in Regulation XLI. 1793, or." In section twenty-five, the words "and the species of rupee in which each payment may be made." In section twenty-six, the last sentence.
IV of 1793 ...	A Regulation for receiving, trying, and deciding suits, &c.	So much as has not been repealed.
VIII of 1793 ...	A Regulation for re-enacting with modifications, &c.	Sections one, two, three, five to twelve (both inclusive), forty-two, forty-four, forty-five, forty-six, forty-seven, sixty-one and sixty-three. In section seventeen, the second sentence. In section eighteen, the second sentence. Section twenty-one from and including the words "in the mode" to the end of the section. In section thirty-five, the second sentence. Sections sixty-eight to one hundred and one, both inclusive.
X of 1793 ...	Decennial settlement ...	So much as has not been repealed.
XI of 1793 ...	Inheritance ...	Section two down to and including the word "Higeree." In section three, the words "subsequent to the period specified in section II." Section four down to and including the words "and that." Section five, except the first ten words, and in section six, the figure and words "VI. Nor to."

PART VI.—BENGAL REGULATIONS—(*continued*).

Number and year.	Subject or abbreviated Title.	Extent of repeal.
XIV of 1793 ...	Recovery of Arrears of Revenue	So much as has not been repealed.
XIX of 1793 ...	Non-bádsháhí lákhiráj grants	Section eighteen. In section two, clause *Second*, the words and figures "and proceeded in it, as required by section XIV. Regulation III. 1793." In section thirty-five, the words "and also to the Provincial Court of Appeal of the Division," and "and to the Provincial Court of Appeal of the Division," and "Provincial Court of Appeal or." In section forty-two, the second and third sentences. In section forty-three, the first four words.
XXXVII of 1793	Bádsháhí lákhiráj grants	In section ten, the words "to the Provincial Court of Appeal, or from the decision of the Provincial Court," and the words "in the event of their ordering the cause to be appealed to the Provincial Court and of its being given against them therein," and the words "in both cases." Sections thirteen, twenty-five and thirty-four. In section seventeen, the words "every five years." In section twenty-eight, the words "of the five years." In section thirty, the words "and also to the Provincial Court of Appeal of the division," * * * "and to the Provincial Court of Appeal of the division," and "Provincial Court of appeal or." In section thirty-seven, the last two sentences. In section thirty-nine, the words and figures "which is to be formed in each of the Zillahs in Bengal, Behar, and Orissa, at the commencement of the Bengal, Fussily, and Willaity year 1207, and at the commencement of every succeeding five years," and the word "five."
XXXVIII of 1793	Lending to zamíndárs	In section two, the words "and City," and the words "the Judges of the Provincial Courts of appeal and the Courts of Circuit, and the registers to their respective Courts."
XLVIII of 1793	A Regulation for forming a quinquennial register, &c.	In section two, clause *First*, the words "every five years."

PART VI.—BENGAL REGULATIONS—(*continued*).

Number and year.	Subject or abbreviated Title.	Extent of repeal.
		In sections ten, eleven, thirteen, sixteen, seventeen, nineteen, twenty-one, twenty-three, twenty-five, twenty-eight, twenty-nine and thirty, the word "quinquennial" wherever it occurs. In section ten, the words "every" and "five." In section sixteen, the word "five." In section eighteen, the words "and also to the Provincial Court of Appeal of the division;" * * * "and to the Provincial Court of Appeal of the division in which it may be included," and "Provincial Court of Appeal or." In section nineteen, the words "at the end of every five years." Section twenty-two. In section twenty-four, clause *Second*. In the same section, clause *Fifth*, the words and figures "Regulation XXV. 1793; that Regulation directing that the division and union of all estates are to be made under." In the same section, clause *Seventh*. In section twenty-six, the last two sentences. Section twenty-seven. In section twenty-nine, the words and figures "at the commencement of the Bengal, Fusily, and Willaity year 1207, and at the commencement of every succeeding five years."
L of 1793 ...	A Regulation for empowering the Court of Wards, &c.	So much as has not been repealed.
III of 1794 ...	A Regulation for exempting proprietors of land, &c.	The whole Regulation, except sections twelve, thirteen, sixteen, seventeen, eighteen, nineteen and twenty. In section thirteen, the words and figures "by section III. Regulation XIV. 1793."
VIII of 1795 ...	Extending Regulation IV of 1793	So much as has not been repealed.
XXVII of 1795 ...	Permanent Settlement, Benares	In section ten, the words and figures "and printed and published in the manner prescribed in Regulation XLI. 1793," and "as referred to in Regulation II. 1795."
LV of 1795 ...	Court of Wards. Security from guardians	So much as has not been repealed.

PART VI.—BENGAL REGULATIONS—(*continued*).

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
I of 1799 ...	Frontier of Silhet ...	In section two, the words "natives of the Company's provinces; and to Armenians, Greeks and all other." and the words "not being British-born subjects; as well as to such British-born subjects as may be authorized by a license from Government to reside in the district of Sylhet." In section six, from and including the words "in the mode" down to the end of the section. Section seven.
V of 1799 ...	Wills and Intestacy ...	In section one, the words and figures "prescribed in section XV of Regulation IV. 1793, viz." In section two, the words and figures "Regulation X. 1793, or," and the word "other" before "Regulation;" and from and including the words "under the general rule" to the end of the section. In sections one, two, three and seven, the words "and City" and "or City," wherever they occur. In section eight, the words and figures "described in Regulation X. 1793," and "by the above or any other Regulation," and the word "the" before "disqualified."
VII of 1799 ...	Realization of rent and revenue	So much as has not been repealed.
II of 1800 ...	Stone quarries at Chunar	In section two, the words "native inhabitants of the Company's provinces and all other," and from and including the words "not being" down to and including the figures "1793." In section eight, the words and figures "which are exempted from the customs by section X. Regulation III. 1795." Section nine. In section ten, the words "besides an oath, or solemn declaration, for the faithful execution of their respective duties."
V of 1800 ...	Extending to Benares Regulation VII of 1799	The whole Regulation.
VIII of 1800 ...	Pargana Register ...	In section four, the words "at the commencement of every fifth succeeding year." In sections five, six, seven, nine, ten, fourteen, sixteen, seventeen, nineteen, the word "quinquennial" wherever it occurs.

PART VI.—BENGAL REGULATIONS—(*continued*).

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
		In section five, the words "the interval of five years." In section six, the words "in the Persian language;" and the words and figures "appointed under Regulation XXI 1793 (*extended to* Benares by Regulation XXXVII. 1795)," and the words "(or by the city judge in the province of Benares)." In section eleven, the words "directed to be prepared at the expiration of every five years." In section seventeen, the words and figures "appointed under Regulation XXI. 1793," and from and including the words "Such officers shall" to the end of the section. Section twenty-two.
I of 1801 ...	Commissioners of Revenue and Circuit, Board of Revenue, &c.	Sections one, two, four, nine and fifteen. In section eight, the words and figures "or to alter the provisions made for the correction of error or collusion in such allotments, by section twenty-five, Regulation XXV. 1793, in cases of private divisions of estates; and by clause *Second* of section twenty-nine, Regulation VII. 1799, in cases of public sales." In section ten, the words and figures "or of suspicion that the purchase has been made in opposition to the Rules contained in clauses 3 and 4 of section XXIX. Regulation VII. 1799," and "for the orders of the Governor General in Council, as directed in clause *Fourth* of section XXIX. Regulation VII 1799."
VII of 1801 ..	Duty on Coasting Vessels, &c.	The whole Regulation.
XIII of 1803 ..	Records of Courts, Ceded Provinces	The whole Regulation.
XLIII of 1803 ...	Fees on institution of suits	So much as has not been repealed.
XLIX of 1803 ..	Assistant Judges ...	So much as has not been repealed.
V of 1804	Appointment and removal of Native Officers	So much as has not been repealed.
X of 1804 ..	Punishment of State offences by Courts Martial, &c.	In section four, the words and figures "or before any special court appointed for the trial of such offences, under Regulation IV. 1799, and Regulation XX. 1803."

PART VI.—BENGAL REGULATIONS—(*continued*).

Number and year.	Subject or abbreviated Title.	Extent of repeal.
X of 1805 ...	Sadr Adálat ...	So much as has not been repealed.
XII of 1805 ...	Settlement and Collection of public revenue, Cuttack, &c	Sections twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen and sixteen.
XIII of 1805 ...	Cuttack Police ...	In section two, the words and figures "formed into one zillah, instead of two zillahs, as prescribed in Regulation IV 1804, and shall be." Section twelve.
VI of 1806 ...	Embankments ...	So much as has not been repealed.
VII of 1806 ...	A Regulation for re-establishing a Court of Civil Judicature in the vicinity of Calcutta, &c.	The whole Regulation.
VIII of 1806 ...	Complaints against Collectors	So much as has not been repealed.
XI of 1806 ...	Supplies for Troops, &c.	Sections nine, eleven and twelve
VIII of 1809 ...	Appointment and removal of ministerial officers	So much as has not been repealed
X of 1810 ...	A Regulation for abolishing the duties, &c.	The whole Regulation.
XX of 1810 ...	Camp-followers, bázárs ..	Section five, and in section three, the words "or the second article of the fifteenth section of the Hon'ble Company's."
IX of 1811 .	Partition ...	The whole Regulation.
XI of 1811 ...	Revision of jama on divided lands	Section two.
III of 1812 ...	Criminal Procedure, &c.	So much as has not been repealed.
V of 1812 ...	Collection of Land Revenue	Section one. Section two down to and including the words "rescinded, and." Section three down to and including the words "rescinded · and" Section four down to and including the words "declared that," and the words and figures "the case to be tried as a summary suit under Regulation VII. 1799" Section twenty-six from and including the words "provided, however," to the end.

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Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
		Section twenty-seven from and including the words "and should those authorities" to the end.
XI of 1812 ...	Foreign Immigrants ...	In section five, the words "before the Court of Circuit," in each of the places where they occur, and the words "of circuit."
XV of 1812 ...	Extending parts of Regulation I. 1811	So much as has not been repealed.
XVIII of 1812 ...	Explaining section 2 of Regulation V. 1812	Section three, clause *First*.
XXII of 1812 ...	Bandelkhand ...	In section four, the two provisoes.
XIX of 1814 ...	Partition of Revenue-paying estates	Section two; and in section thirteen, clause *First*. The words "or Board of Commissioners," and "and Board of Commissioners," wherever they occur. In section seventeen, clause *Third*, the second sentence. In section twenty-one, the words "as the case may be" and "respectively."
XXV of 1814 ...	Sadr Díwání Adálat and Provincial Courts	So much as has not been repealed.
XXVII of 1814 ...	Native Pleaders ...	So much as has not been repealed.
V of 1816 ...	Kánungo, Cuttack ...	In section one, from and including the words "to be in force" to the end of the section. In section three, the words and figures "under the provisions of Regulation V. 1804, and Regulation VIII. 1809."
IX of 1816 ...	The Sunderbuns ...	Section one from and including the words "to be in force" to the end of the section.
XI of 1816 ...	Succession to certain estates in Cuttack	Sections four, six, ten and twenty; and in section eighteen, the figures and word "IV," "VI," "and X."
XVII of 1816 ...	Police ...	So much as has not been repealed.
V of 1817 ...	Hidden Treasure ...	In section five, the words "the Board of Commissioners, or the Commissioner in Behar and Bénares, or."

PART VI.—BENGAL REGULATIONS—(*continued*).

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
		In section six, the words and figures "within the period limited by the notification directed in section IV. of this Regulation," * * * "and deposited it in the Zillah or City Court, as required by section III." In section seven, the words "and deposited." In section eight, the words and figure "in conformity with section IV. and make the deposit thereby required;" and "or the Board of Commissioners in the Western Provinces or the Commissioner in Behar and Benares." In section nine, the words "or City," and the last fourteen words. Section ten.
XII of 1817 ...	Patwáris	In the preamble, the words "from the date of their promulgation." Sections two, four, five and six. In section nine, the words and figures "to furnish the Collector with the statement required in section IV, and;" and "sections V and VII of." In section eleven, the words and figures "to furnish the statement required by section IV, or," * * * "sections V and VII of," * * * "in those sections," and "the Board of Commissioners, or the Commissioner in Behar and Benares, as the case may be." In section twenty-six, the words "before a Court of Circuit," * * * "in the Regulations," and "under the provisions of the Regulations." In section twenty-seven, the words "before a Court of Circuit," and "in the Regulations." In section thirty-one, the words "the Board of Commissioners or the Commissioner in Behar and Benares, according as he may be subject to one or other of those authorities," * * * "and Commissioner aforesaid." In section thirty-two, the words "Board of Commissioners and Commissioner in Behar and Benares, as the case may be." In section thirty-three, the words "or Commissioner." In sections thirty-three and thirty-five, the words "the Board of Commissioners or the Commissioner in Behar or Benares, as the case may be."

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Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
XX of 1817 ...	Police	Sections one to eight (both inclusive), ten, eleven, thirty-one, thirty-three and thirty-four. In section twenty-eight, clause *Second*, the words and figures "as directed in section XXIV. Regulation X. 1813." In section twenty-nine, clause *First*, the words "weaver," *** "engaged in the provision of the Company's investment, or," *** "commercial," *** "commercial resident." In clause *Second*, the word "commercial." In clause *Third*, the words "weavers," *** "engaged in the provision of the Company's investment, or," *** "commercial," *** "commercial resident." In clause *Fourth*, the words "weaver," *** "engaged in the provision of the Company's investment, or," *** "commercial," and "commercial resident." In clause *Fifth*, the words and figures "as required by the *Second* clause of section XI. Regulation VI. 1801," and the words "commercial resident or." In clause *Ninth*, the words and figures "as required by the provisions of Regulation XIII. 1816, which are herein recapitulated for their information and guidance." Clauses *Tenth* and *Eleventh*. In section thirty, clauses *Third* and *Sixth*; and in clause *Second*, the words and figures "in pursuance of section IX. Regulation XI. 1806."
III of 1818 ...	State Prisoners ...	In section four, the words "of circuit" wherever they occur. Section eight. In section nine, the words "to the Provincial Court of Appeal and Circuit, and."
II of 1819 ...	Resumption of Revenue	Sections two, twenty-five and twenty-seven. In section six, the words "in the Persian language and character." In section nineteen, clause *First*, from and including the words "conformably with" to the end of the clause. In sections twenty, twenty-one and thirty, the word "Persian." Section twenty-four, clause *Second*. Section twenty-six, clause *First*, except the words "In cases instituted in the Zillah Court *** an appeal shall be received by the Court of Sudder Dewanny Adawlut."

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Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
		Clause *Second* down to and including the words "appeals but," and the words "or Provincial Court," and the word "special" wherever it occurs. In section thirty, clauses *Fifth* and *Seventh*, the words "or City."
VI of 1819 ...	Ferries	In section two, clause *First* and the first six words of clause *Second*. In section three, clause *Second*, the words and figures "under the provisions of Regulation XIX. 1816." In section six, clause *Second*, the words "through the channel of the Superintendents of Police." Section fourteen.
VIII of 1819 ...	Patni Taluqs ...	In section two, the words and figures "under the rule of section V. Regulation XLIV. 1793." In section three, clause *Third*, the words and figures "under the rule contained in the seventh clause of section XV. Regulation VII. 1799, for leases conveying a limited interest in the land." In section eight, clause *Second*, the words "to the Civil Court of the District, and a similar one." In section nine, the words "by the Register or acting Register of the Civil Court, or, in his absence, by the person in charge of the Office of Judge, or of Magistrate of the District within which the lands may be situated." In section fifteen, clause *Second*, the word "summary," and the words and figures "brought under the provisions of section XV. Regulation VII. 1799, or in any application to stay process by distraint, under the rules of Regulation V. 1812."
II of 1820 ...	Offences in Chandernagore.	The whole Regulation.
IV of 1821 ...	Collectors' powers ...	In section six, clause *First*, the words "and City," and the whole of clause *Second*. In section seven, the words "or City" wherever they occur. In section eight, clause *Third*, the words "or the Boards of Commissioners," * * * "or Board of Commissioners."

PART VI.—BENGAL REGULATIONS—*(continued).*

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
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VII of 1822 ...	Settlement—Ceded Provinces and Cuttack	In section two, the first five clauses, and the first fourteen words of clause *Sixth*. In section five, clause *Second*; section six clause *First*; section seven, clause *First*; section nine, clause *Second*; section twelve, clause *Second*, and section seventeen, the words "of Commissioners." In section fifteen, the words "or Provincial," and "according to the value of the interest at stake." In section sixteen, the words "or Provincial." In section twenty, clause *Second*, the words "or City." In section twenty-three, clause *Third*, the words "or City." In section twenty-nine, clause *Fifth*, the word "Persian." In section thirty, the words "or City," and "or Provincial Court of the Division," and "under the general Regulations for the administration of civil justice." In section thirty-one, clause *Second*, the words "any register, sudder aumeen, or," and "registers, sudder aumeens, and." In section thirty-three, clause *First*, the words and figures "shall be guided by the rules contained in Regulation XVI. 1793, and the other corresponding enactments, and in Regulation VI. 1813, in so far as the same may be applicable, and."
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VII of 1823 ...	Loans to Covenanted Civil Servants	Section two, clause *Third*. In section three, the words "and city." Section five. In section eight, the words "provincial," * * * "by the Provincial Courts," and "of the Regulations."
VII of 1825 ...	Sales of land in execution of decrees	So much as has not been repealed.

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XV of 1825 ...	Customs duties ...	So much as has not been repealed.
XX of 1825 ...	Courts Martial ...	In section four, the words "or City," and the words and figures "under the provisions of Regulation L. 1803."
III of 1827 ...	Ministerial Native Officers	The whole Regulation except section five.
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